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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to create The Right Reverend John Nicholas Lemmens, D.D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Vancouver Island, and his successors in office, a Corporation Sole, with power to receive, take and hold by gift, lease, purchase, devise or otherwise real and personal estate of every description, and with full power and authority to grant, sell and dispose of the same by sale, mortgage or otherwise.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1891.

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JURORS' ACT.

To the Selectors of Jurors for Victoria District:

YOU are hereby authorized to hold, on the 28th day of December, A.D. 1891, a Special Sittings, at the Court House, Bastion Square, City of Victoria, for the purpose of preparing, selecting, and having made up the jurors books, rolls, and lists for Victoria District for the year 1892, and for so doing let this be your warrant.

Given under my hand and seal, at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, this ninth day of December, A.D. 1891.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Changes in Inland Revenue License System—Delayed Census Returns.

Adjournment of the Supreme Court for the Christmas Vacation—More Election Victims.

The Presbyterian Address Declared to Have Been Stolen from Princess Louise.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 11.—The Inland Revenue Department will not, in future, refund any portion of license fees, when the license is surrendered before the time covered by such license expires.

The census returns of the MacKenzie and Yukon River basins is not expected until June next.

Mr. Blake continued his opening address in the C.P.R. vs. Conmee appeal, to-day.

The supreme court adjourned, this afternoon, until January 11th.

The Dominion police, to-day, seized from a second-hand dealer the address of congratulation presented to the Marquis of Lorne by the Presbyterian General Assembly in 1883, on the occasion of the recovery of the Princess Louise from her accident, when thrown from a sleigh in this city. The Marquis of Lorne says the address was stolen.

The revised voters' list for Yale has been received by the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Messrs. Germain, Grit, and Fairbairn, Conservative, are to-day's victims of the courts.

CABLE NEWS.

Excited Frenchmen.

PARIS, Dec. 11.—During the debate in the Chamber of Deputies, to-day, on the question of Church and State, there were several disorderly scenes. M. M. de Baudry, d'Assou and de Berri abused M. Floquet, president of the Chamber of Deputies, and affairs reached a climax when Paul de Cassagnac, enraged at the utterances of the president, sprang to his feet and deliberately called him a liar. Oaths, insults, threats, challenges and defiances filled the air. All present seemed determined to quarrel, and a long time elapsed before order could be restored. M. Floquet ultimately challenged M. de Cassagnac to withdraw the term he had applied to him or meet him on the field of honor. M. de Cassagnac positively refused to retract, and the result is that both gentlemen have chosen seconds, who are making arrangements for a duel, which, it is said, will be fought at an early hour to-morrow morning somewhere in Belgium, near the French frontier.

Gladstone on Rural Reform.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The National Liberal Federation conference, opened yesterday, in Memorial Hall, Farringdon street, and, this morning, had the Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone as their guest at breakfast. After breakfast Mr. Gladstone said he thought the time had come for a renewal of the efforts to bring about rural reform. The labor question, he said had a wide range. Home Rule was part of the labor controversy, as all of those in whose behalf that cause is being pushed are laborers or small farmers. The condition of the rural laborers was most unsatisfactory. The proof of this statement lay in the constant migration of these laborers. Every endeavor ought to be made to keep the laborers at home. He hoped to see the labor candidates for seats in Parliament increase in number. They ought not to be saddled with frightful election expenses.

The breakfast was an unique affair. Most of the guests were rural laborers, many wore no collars and their clothes were marked with the stains of labor, but all were clean and respectable. The enthusiasm produced by Rt. Hon. Mr. Gladstone's presence was extraordinary. When he entered the banquetting room, there was deafening roars of welcome. Everybody seemed animated with a burning desire to shake hands with him. Those who could not get near him struck up the doxology, and the whole company joined in singing with lusty voice. Mr. Gladstone was in excellent condition and good voice, and he spoke, evidently with delight in his surroundings. His audience was sympathetic and responsive, and frequently interrupted him with cheers. At the close of his speech Mr. Gladstone was mobbed by his rural admirers. He endeavored to grasp all the hands held out to him, and return their hearty shakes, although the chairman kept urging him to spare his strength. The delegates to the conference are delighted with their day's work which, it is evident, will greatly strengthen the cause of Liberalism in the country districts.

Dufferin To Succeed Lytton.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, formerly Governor-General of Canada, Viceroy of India, ambassador at St. Petersburg, and ambassador at Constantinople, has been appointed ambassador at Paris in succession to the late Earl Lytton.

Disastrous Storm at Hongkong.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The Times' dispatch from Singapore reports the loss of a large number of Chinese vessels during a gale at Hongkong. Hundreds of native sailors were drowned.

Mrs. Maybrick's Friends Hopeful.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Baroness Deroque, mother of Mrs. Maybrick, was allowed to visit her daughter in Meeking prison to-day. Afterwards she said Mrs. Maybrick was ill. [She was unable to sleep well or eat the coarse food given prisoners. Solicitor Lumley and Sir Charles Russell are considering new points in relation to the poisoning which were not submitted at Mrs. Maybrick's trial, and the attorneys think they will be sufficient to bring about her release.

Famine and Disease in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 10.—The government will advance money for fodder to peasants who prove that they possess animals, the object being to prevent the wholesale slaughter of the animals. The smallpox epidemic is causing great ravages in Raisin. The mortality is 25 per cent. There are 25,000 cases of influenza in Odessa.

Wrecked on the Coast of Wales.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The French bark Leonore, Captain Barnard, which sailed from Corsawa, November 13, for Swansea, has been wrecked off Mumbles Head. The crew were drowned. It is believed twelve persons altogether have been drowned. Several small coasting vessels are reported lost along the south coast of England.

Bismarck in Hamburg.

HAMBURG, Dec. 10.—Prince Bismarck came to this city, from Freidrichsruhe, this morning, for the purpose of visiting Count von Waldersee, and was greeted enthusiastically by an immense crowd of citizens. In the course of conversation, he said he was undecided whether or not to attend the Reichstag.

The French and the Priests.

PARIS, Dec. 10.—At a meeting of Democratic Deputies, to-day, a resolution was adopted signifying approval of the plan for party combination against the clericals.

Parnell's Estate.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The gross value of Parnell's property is $55,880, and the net, $31,250.

Chili and the U. S.

VALPARAISO, Dec. 11.—The statement sent to the London Times that United States Minister Egan had, during the recent correspondence between the United States and the Government at Santiago, sent insulting notes to Minister Matta, is denied. All indications point to a desire on the part of the Chilian Congress to continue amicable relations with the United States.

Albanian Murderers.

BELGRADE, Dec. 11.—The Malissorri tribe from Albania has raided and burned Poschani and Vrangevece, villages in Servia, a short distance from Tetono, and killed four inhabitants. They afterwards attacked five hamlets, plundered the houses and killed seven persons.

Ruin Rampant in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 11.—Bankruptcy is spreading in this city, and the general condition of trade is deplorable. The same account is received from all parts of Russia. In the city and country insolvency is the rule instead of the exception, and while the respectable poor are becoming mendicants, the noble and formerly rich are descending to poverty. The prospect for the remainder of the winter is most gloomy. Fewer deaths are reported from starvation, but the area of destitution is much increased, the smaller number of deaths being attributed to the greater efficiency of government relief, which is now largely supported by the proceeds of the recent loan, and it is extremely doubtful whether any taxes can be collected in more than half the empire.

Lt.-Governor Campbell Worse.

TORONTO, Dec. 11. — Lieut.-Governor Campbell is reported somewhat worse today, his case being more serious than at any time during his illness.

Elected Speaker.

REGINA, Dec. 10.—James H. Ross, member for Moose Jaw, has been elected speaker of the Northwest Legislature.

The C.P.R. Naval Special.

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—The Canadian Pacific Railway's naval special arrived at Montreal Junction, yesterday morning, and left immediately for Halifax where it will arrive about 10 o'clock, to-night. Between Vancouver and Montreal the actual running time of the train was about twenty-five an hour, including stops.

Quebec on the Eve of an Election.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—The Globe's Quebec correspondent says: "It becomes daily more evident that, in spite of a bold front, the Quebec Nationalists expect a hard fight at the polls. It is no longer a secret that the voters' list of thirty counties, composing this district, have been printed in L'Electeur establishment, with the view of beginning an immediate canvass. Cartloads of campaign literature are being issued from the same establishment.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

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THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Fighting Begun Between the British and Natives Near the Pamir Frontier.

Is This Preliminary to a Bloody Controversy Between the Slav and Anglo-Saxon?

Intense Excitement in Great Britain Over the Prospect of a Russian War.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Official dispatches received here, this evening, from Calcutta state that there has been fighting between the British forces and the tribesmen in the vicinity of Gilgit, near the Pamir frontier, and not far from the new boundary line recently claimed by Russia. In short, the British troops are now face to face with frontier tribesmen in arms, who are claimed to be under Russian protection, and most serious events may result from this clash of arms. At Gilgit there is a British agency, garrisoned by some Kashmirs, Indian Ghoorkas and a battery of artillery. According to the latest advices received from the front the tribesmen of Hunza and Nagara, two towns on the river Indus, and almost opposite to each other, have for some time been threatening the Chalt fort, held by a detachment of Kashmirs. This caused Col. Durand, the British Adjutant at Gilgit, to make an advance on the fort for the purpose of relieving the garrison. The advance of the British troops was made early during the present month, for on November 29th Col. Durand wired the Commander-in-Chief that he should move upon the enemy on December 2d, unless he was previously attacked by the Tribesmen, who were reported to be assembling in large numbers, and to have been instigated in their action by Russian agents. Col. Durand also telegraphed the same, that he feared that a serious conflict was inevitable, although he had done everything possible to prevent it. The Nilthunsea river flows a few miles from the fort threatened by the Indo-Russian Tribesmen.

Later, other despatches just received here from Calcutta announce that Fort Chalt was captured on Dec. 2nd, and that seven Sepoys were killed and twenty-six wounded. Col. Durand, the despatch adds, and Capt. Aylmer, and Lieut. Eadcock were seriously wounded. Several other officers, including Lieut. Gorton and others, were slightly wounded. Captain Aylmer, and Lieuts. Boisragon and Eadcock, continues the despatch, displayed extraordinary gallantry. Capt. Aylmer most gallantly led a storming party, carrying a gun cotton petard, and in the face of a shower of bullets he dashed up to the gate of the fort, fixed the petard, lit the fuse, retreated a short distance, and then had the pleasure of hearing a report. The next moment the gallant captain saw that the petard had blown the gate off the port. These officers, followed by a handful of Sepoys, then made a dash into the fort, and after some desperate fighting captured a field gun, which had been used effectually against the attacking party. The British and Sepoys also captured nine prisoners, the remainder of the rebel tribesmen flying, leaving a number of dead inside and outside the fort.

The news of this engagement, on the Pamir frontier, is not quite clear on one point, that is what became of the original Kashmir garrison of the fort; it is presumed, however, that the rebel tribesmen captured the fort previous to the arrival of the British troops, and that it has now been retaken. Reports of a conflict on the Pamir frontier reached this city in time for them to spread to the clubs and theatres. The result was a feeling of considerable excitement, and there were many old Indian officers who gravely shook their heads on hearing the news, saying that it was the most serious that had come from India for many a day. The younger officers naturally were elated and were loud in their expressions of hope that the long expected war with Russia was come at last, and that the British lion and the Russian bear were to engage in the long anticipated struggle for supremacy in the east, and for the possession of India, the richest prize in the east. The excitement increased rapidly, and the general opinion is, at midnight, about the clubs and such places, that war with Russia is looming up on the horizon in India. In any case the Pamir question will have to be taken up in deadly earnest.

A constant exchange of despatches is going on between high government officials, here. Some of the officials of the India office, who are apparently going to pass the night in that building, refuse to furnish any other information to enquiries than those already given above. One officer, of high rank, who has recently returned from India, was more communicative, and frankly said there could now be no doubt that affairs on the frontier of the Pamir district had reached a most delicate and dangerous stage. The claims made by Russia, he said, must be greatly modified before even a basis for negotiations can be established between the three nations concerned, Russia, China and Great Britain.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Disastrous Wind-Storms.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 10.—The windstorm of last night did considerable damage in the country just North of here, and was the severest experienced for years. At Glendale two or three small houses were blown down. Some tin roofs were taken off and a number of outbuildings were demolished. A story and a half frame building, which was blown down, caught fire from an overturned coal oil lamp and a Mrs. Brown perished in the flames. A great many oranges were blown off the trees in the orchards, while the Western Union Telegraph Company had a number of poles blown down near Tropico.

Criminal Malpractice.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10. — Mary P. Moran, a young married woman, died this morning from malpractice. The physician who performed the operation is unknown.

Held for Trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—Wm. Flaws, who, it is alleged, kicked Alfred Sparks to death during a saloon brawl, was held for trial to-day for manslaughter, bail being fixed at $10,000.

They Drove 2,100 Miles.

NEW YORK, Dec, 10.—The World's Vineland, N. J., special says: D. M. Dare and his wife and three children arrived, a few days ago, from North Dakota, where he has a small farm. His crops failed and his house was burned in a prairie fire. Mr. Dare decided to return to his old home to live. Nearly six months ago the family started in a covered wagon, and, after many hardships, reached home and old friends. They drove 2,100 miles.

Honors to Dom Pedro.

MADRID, Dec. 10.—The Government gave orders that as soon as the train bearing the remains of the ex-Emperor of Brazil from Paris, entered Spanish territory, every honor due the deceased should be paid. At all the principals stations along the road soldiers were arrayed on the platform, and as the train rushed past they presented arms, flags were dipped and royal honors paid the dead ex-emperor. All along the route at towns, villages and hamlets, the residents gathered and reverently bared their heads as the funeral train passed.

Congress Startled.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A steampipe burst in the southern corner of the Hall of Representatives a few minutes before one o'clock to-day, causing a great commotion. The house was not in session, but many members were at their desks, and the floor was crowded with visitors. It was at first thought that some crank had set off a dynamite bomb. Several ladies were sitting in the private gallery, immediately over the pipe which burst. They hastily departed.

He Robbed the Church.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—Macdonald, alias McKay, who burglarized the Catholic cathedral, has been held to answer to the Superior Court on $10,000 bonds. He was born in Toronto; served time in Kingston, and has also been in prison in Buffalo. In Chicago he and other thieves overpowered a watchman and stole $15,000. McKay escaped, but was afterwards captured, and while in jail in Chicago planned to escape, but was blocked by a negro, whom he afterwards assaulted and nearly killed. He then served five years in Joliet for the burglary and three for the assault. He was also in prison in Ionia, Michigan, from which he escaped and went to Chicago, was recaptured and served his time in Jackson, Mich., State prison.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

NANAIMO.

At a meeting of the Council of the Nanaimo Board of Trade, held Thursday evening, a communication was read from the Nanaimo Pilot Commissioners, stating that they had recommended that a lighthouse be erected on Sharpe's Point, and asking the endorsement of the Board of Trade. The secretary was instructed to communicate with the Marine Department, fully endorsing the recommendation. A communication was also read from the Victoria Board of Trrde, asking the Nanaimo Board to cooperate with them in securing more frequent railway communication between Nanaimo and Victoria, and increased steamboat accommodation to Comox and East Coast. After some discussion it was decided to recommend (1) That the Sunday afternoon train be changed to Monday. (2) That arrangements be made for the E. and N. trains to make close connection with the C.P.R. R. mails *via* Nanaimo. (3) That a semi-weekly service be established between Nanaimo and Comox.

VANCOUVER.

J. M. Gordon, Inspector of Dominion Timber Lands, of Winnipeg, arrived on his quarterly tour to British Columbia and spent the day with Mr. T. S. Higginson, Inspector for the province. Mr. Gordon found everything going on as usual in this province. The competition, he says, for timber licences in British Columbia is every year becoming more keen.

There seems to be an impression abroad that Sam Greer has been granted a new trial, which is quite incorrect. A writ of error has been granted, and if, after argument before the full Bench, the points are considered well taken and judgment given accordingly, a new trial will be sought by his attorney. If, on the contrary, the judges think there is no ground for reversing the decision of the Chief Justice, Mr. Greer will have to undergo the term in the penitentiary for which he was sentenced.—Vancouver World.

Outrage and Murder.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Another child murder, resembling the Turner tragedy at Leeds, has been discovered, and the murderer is under arrest. Some boys, while at play, were horrified to find the body of a female child, five years old, in a play-ground at Deal, Kent. The body was covered with blood, and it was evident that the little one had been murdered. They hastily summoned help, and the police took charge of the remains. A doctor's examination left no doubt that the child had been outraged and afterwards strangled. The injuries inflicted in the assault would have been sufficient to have caused death, but the fiend had hastened his work by taking the life of the child. The marks on the throat showed the imprint of a brawny hand. The whole neighborhood is aroused and a search was begun for the murderer. Some railway men remember that they had seen George Henry Woods, a man employed on the goods van of the Brighton Railway, reeling along in a partly intoxicated condition not far from where the body was found, and carrying a child in his arms. Woods was at once sought for. Upon being arrested it was found that his clothing was stained with blood. He confessed his guilt. Upon the fact of his confession becoming public great excitement prevailed, and there was talk of violence. None, however, has been attempted. Woods attempted to excuse his crime on the ground that he was drunk, and did not know what he was about. He said that having assaulted the child he had strangled it to put it out of misery.

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(Warranted Waterproof and Sewn Seams.)
BOYS' OVERCOATS, $3.25, $3 50, $4.

SAGE'S ASSAILANT.

The New York Dynamiter Shown to be a Boston Note-Broker Named Norcross.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 11.—Henry L. Norcross, of Somerville, who conducted a note-brokerage in this city, has been missing since the middle of last week. Detectives were in town trying to identify the missing man as the mysterious personage who threw a bomb into Russel Sages' office in New York on Friday with such deadly effect. The officers have in their possession a trouser's button and portion of the trousers worn by the bomb thrower, as well as a piece of his coat and parts of his underclothing. These articles, according to the Globe, were taken to the Norcross residence in Somerville this afternoon, where the underclothing was positively identified by Mrs. Norcross as belonging to her husband. The trousers of the dead dynamiter were stamped Brooks, tailor, Boston. Mr. Brooks was interviewed by the officers and shown the fragment of cloth After careful examination, he stated positively that he had made for Henry L. Norcross a coat of the same cloth presented, and also a pair of trousers of the same cloth as the other piece furnished by the detective. The button he also identified as one peculiar to his establishment. Henry L. Norcross, the missing man, was about 28 to 29 years old. He graduated from the Somerville high school about five years ago, since which time he has conducted a note brokerage business, at 12 Pearl street, in this city. There is no doubt but that Norcross has been missing since the day before the attempt was made upon the life of Russell Sage, and this, taken in connection with the identification of the fragments of clothing and underclothing made to-day, would indicate that Norcross was the man who startled the world with his insane scheme of forcing a vast amount of money from Russell Sage.

THE JAPANESE EARTHQUAKES.

Many of the Victims Crushed Beyond Identification—What Is Being done for the Wounded.

HONOLULU, Dec. 10.—The British steamer Zambesi, of the Upton line, arrived from Yokahama, on November 23rd, 13 days out. The vessel will continue to stop at this port in future on her trips to and from the Orient. The Japan Gazette says late news mentions the arrival at Ogaki of two directors from Nagoyta and a few members of the Red Cross Society, which has proved a great relief to the wounded. The number of amputations of limbs appear to have been large, and it is said that as the limbs are being preserved in alcohol for further dissection, numerous bottles containing them may been seen in the hospitals. The people are still camping in the open air, fearing further shocks, and are destitute of warm clothing. Although the weather has, fortunately, on the whole been mild and fine, a heavy rainfall occurred, adding materially to the discomfort of the people. They have rigged up rough boxes like sheds and shelters of wood and matting, and are huddlied together in the streets. Ogaki being especially liable to inundation, the people are keeping boats close at hand, to be prepared for the worst. Comparatively few of the dead are being claimed by friends, as many bodies are unrecognizable, and in other cases whole families died together. Those crushed by falling timbers were terribly mang'ed, and some have not yet been found. Interment has been but indifferently conducted, as one account makes mention of limbs and bodies being heaped together, and that the debris is becoming very offensive from the unburied remains concealed by it. There is very serious ground for fearing that disease will break out among the rescued.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Stock and Produce Markets—Henry Clews & Co.'s Circular—Bradstreet's Review.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10—Money closed at 2 per cent., the lowest rate. The highest rate was 3 per cent. Exchange closed steady, posted rates 483 to 485¼. Actual rates 482 to 482¼ for sixty days bills, and 484½ to 484¾ for demand. Government bonds closed steady; extended twos registered, 100 bid; fours, coupon, 117½ bid; currency sixes, 10[illegible] bid. Pacific R. R. bonds closed as follows: Union firsts, 108½ bid; do. Sinking Fund 106 bid; Centrals, 107½ bid. The dealings on the stock exchange, this morning, were less active, only 106,000 shares were sold. After 11 o'clock the weakness was further increased in the general list by a brisk selling of Missouri Pacific. The stock was pressed for sale on reports of decreased earnings for the first week in Dec mber. At noon nearly every stock on the list was off, ½ to 1½ per cent.

Closing prices—Pacific Mail, 36¾; W. U. Telegraph, 82; Northwest, 115¼; Northern Pacific, 24½; Northern Pacific, preferred, 65¾; Canadian Pacific, 90½; Oregon Improvement, 24½; Oregon Improvement bonds, 100; Union Pacific, 40¾; Missouri Pacific, 56¼; Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe, 42¾; Denver and Rio Grande, 16½; Oregon Navagation, 79; Central Pacific, 31½; Texas Pacific, 11¾; Great Northern, 119; Manitoba, 114; Fargo Express, 140; North Amn, 17; bar silver, 96;

NEW YORK, Dec. 10—Flour closed quiet, wheat opti n opened firm and ⅜ higher. There was considerable local demand at the opening; but it was met by the foreign houses, who sold freely and checked the advance. Prices soon settled back to las night's figures. The Government report was the chief subject of comment, this morning. It was generally regarded as very bullish. Trading during the day was never very active, and the market closed weak and ⅛c to ⅜c lower. Spot lots closed easier. Sp sales of No. 2 Red Winter, at 1 08; No. 2. Red do Dec. 106½; do, Jan, 106¾; do. Feb,, 108; do. March, 108⅞. Sugar—Raw, quiet but steady, 89 test, 3⅛; 96 test, centrifugals, 3⅞c. Refined in light demand. Cut loaf and crushed, 6⅝c; powdered, 4⅞c; granulated, 4 5-16c to 4⅜c; cubes, 4 1-16; Mould "A" 4⅝c.; confectioners "A." 4¼c. Coffee—Spot lots quiet, fair Rio cargoes 16½c.; futures lower; Rio or Santos No. 7, Dec. $12.75; do Jan. $12.20; do Feb $11.95 Hops—Stronger; Pacific Coast 1891, choice, 21c.; common to prime, 14c. to 20c.; 1890, 12c. to 17c. for common to choice. Petroleum closed 58⅞c. Fair demand in London. Tin—dull but steadier. Copper—weak. Lead—quiet and steadier. Spelter—unchanged. Iron—stagnant, closing bids and offers. Straits tin, spot, $19.75 bid; $20 asked. Straits tin, March, $19.85 bid; $20.10 asked. Lake copper, Dec., $10.35 bid; $10.60 asked.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Dec. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; steady. Common to choice shipping steers, $2.75 to $5.35; stockers and feeders, $1.50 to $3.25; cows and bulls, 75c to $2.50; Texans, $1 15 to $3 30. Hogs—Receipts, 70,000, but quoted lower. Heavy, $3 67½ to $4; mixed and medium, $3 35 to $3.85, light, $3.25 to $3.75. Sheep—Receipts, 4 000; steady; poor to choice, $3 20 to $5.15; lambs, $3.75 to $5.50.

BRADSTREET'S, NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—General trade is quiet in the Dominion, with the volume about equal to, and in some instances in excess of, that of one year ago. Mercantile collections are not satisfactory. The exports of wheat, flour, etc, from Montreal, have practically ceased for the winter. Canadian business failures, this week, equal 45, against 35 last week and 40 in the like week last year.

Henry Clews & Co's New York Financial Review, for the week ending Dec 5th, says that for the week of marked dullness, and of some weakness of prices, on the Stock Exchange, there are no conditions that can be considered sufficient to account. The London market has shown a healthful and even a "cheerful" tone, and is only waiting for the signal from this side to start up an active "bull" movement; and yet this attitude has no encouraging effect on New York. The Bank of England is rapidly increasing its reserve and is expected soon to reduce its rate of discount to 3½ or 3 per cent. The Continental bourses have shown a marked recovery of confidence; and at Paris, Berlin, Madrid and Vienna there is no longer any apprehension of financial trouble. Following the visit of M. deCliers to the governments of France, Germany and Italy, there is a cessation of disquieting political rumors, and hopes are entertained that some way has been found of establishing, at least for the time being, more harmonious relations among the divided powers. All this, it would seem, ought to be attended with some response in the markets; and in the foreign markets there really has been a marked recovery in the prices of nearly all securities except American; but they have remained remained stationary, because New York has been neither active nor buoyant.

On this side of the Atlantic, the influential factors have been favorable to securities. The banks are still increasing their reserves and are becoming anxious to employ their funds on time engagements. New enterprises are being floated, and apparently with success. The railroads show increasing earnings, and yet they have received only a comparatively small percentage of the year's agricultural product. The Fall trade, which has been held back by the exceptional mildness of the season, shows clear symptoms of a very active demand for the remainder of the season; and accounts from the interior leave no room to doubt that all the reviving effects of our great crops that have been hoped for are to be forthcoming. A stage of the year has now been reached when, in spite of favorable conditions, the market is not usually responsive to movements for advancing prices. In three weeks, we shall be in the midst of the diverting influences of the chief holidays.

The period of taking stock, making up annual accounts, providing for interest settlements and making a variety of annual liquidations, is not a time for initiating a speculative campaign; and therefore, whatever may be thought of the legitimacy of a rise in stock values corresponding to the many sided stimulus that now bears upon the stock market, it is not to be supposed that any important movement of that character is likely to appear until near the close of the year or the beginning of 1892. During that interval, we may possibly witness some irregularity in the market. The "bears" will need to exert all their skill and power to extricate themselves from their large "short" commitments; and such temporary successes as they may have will afford opportunities for buying. On the other hand, it seems quite probable that outside happenings may preponderate on the favorable side. The improving tendency of affairs in the interior and in Europe, the effect of the crops upon railroad earnings, the growth of ease in money, and the return of gold from Europe are influences that are likely to continue to further develop throughout December; which may be expected to steadily prepare the way for the latter movement towards higher prices, which it seems to be very generally conceded would then be legitimately due and likely to occur.

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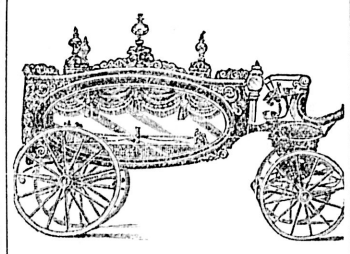

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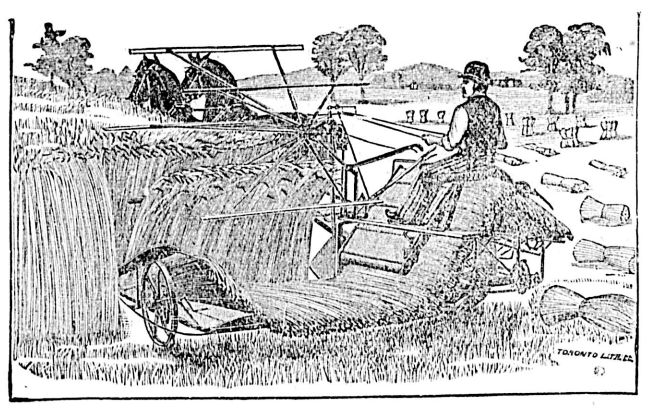

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THE SECOND HEARING

Of the Case of Reg. v. Keene—New Evidence Submitted.

The second hearing of the case of Reg. v. Keene, upon which the jury failed to agree, last week, opened in the Assize Court, yesterday, before Mr. Justice Crease, and will be again taken up at 10:30 this morning. The jury, this time, is composed of older men, and the Attorney-General in person conducts the prosecution, Mr. E. E. Wootton still appearing as counsel for the defence.

All yesterday was devoted to the hearing of the Crown's evidence, the story of the defendant's assault upon Martha Page being once more repeated, with very little variation. Then, the witnesses previously examined having been heard, Mrs. Johnson, proprietress of the New York, was called. She was not at home when the trouble occurred, but deposed to having seen the prisoner in the hall, a few minutes before, when he appeared to be waiting for some one. Prisoner saw her, but did not speak.

Cross-examined, she said that a young man named Dewar boarded at the house at the time, and that she had since received a letter from him, which she handed to a lawyer.

Counsel for the defence pressed for an answer to his question, why the letter had been allowed to go out of the possession of witness, and she declined to answer, intimating her reasons were private.

Later on, being again urged to explain, she said that the young man, Dewar, after boarding with her for a time, went away forgetting to pay his bill, and afterwards sent her a letter, unstamped, and for which she had to pay two cents, informing her of the fact. She thought this a little too much, and accordingly consulted a lawyer.

To the Court—The girl had always behaved herself well since coming to the house; she seemed modest, respectable and hard-working.

Mrs. Willis Bond entered the witness box, and deposed to having seen the bruises upon the girl's body.

Mme. Sadie Brykyle, a fortune-teller, now doing business in this city, deposed that the prisoner accosted her on the street at about 10.30 on the morning of the assault upon Martha Page, and asked her if she wanted to make $5. She told him to go about his business, and he then followed her into the New York hotel, where she went into the house to look for a room.

She was cross-examined severely as to her own character, and said that she lived by telling fortunes by cards. Her husband, a gambler, was living in Denver.

Another witness, a waitress in the Brunswick hotel, described how the prisoner made an attempt to assault her upon the same day as the affair with Martha Page, and on the conclusion of her evidence the Court adjourned.

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Terrible Tragedy in Hungary—She Kills Her Boy for His Money.

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—A tragedy, unparalleled in atrocity, is reported from Wieselburg, a town of Hungary, 21 miles from Presburg. Sixteen years ago the son of a poor peasant living in the county, of which Wieselburg is the capital, went to America. There, by industry, he saved up about $3,000. Resolving to return to his father's home, he changed his money into English sovereigns, of which he had 600. It was late when he arrived at his father's house. He did not immediately make himself known, but asked for hospitality like a stranger. The mother was not there at the moment, but the father recognized and embraced him.

The son retired to rest, after telling his father of the little fortune he had brought home with him. The father did not tell the mother when she came who the stranger was, resolving to wait until morning and then let the son reveal himself. The mother got up during the night and examined the stranger's baggage, and finding the gold, determined to possess it. She stealthily cut the throat of the stranger, killing him instantly. Then she took and hid the gold. When the father awoke he found his son in a pool of blood on the bed. His cry of horror aroused the wife, who had expected to find her husband a ready accomplice in concealing the crime for the sake of the money. The father gasped out who the victim was. With one cry the murderess fell dead

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The bakers of the Pacific Coast will convene in San Francisco, February 8, 1892.

George W. Stewart, inventor of the sea telephone, died suddenly of heart disease in New York, Wednesday night.

Two men were killed and three seriously injured, on Thursday, by an explosion of hot metal in a Pittsburg furnace.

The question of holding a convention of wine growers in Califoria in the near future is being discussed by the vineyardists.

The wholesale drug firm of Kenneth, Campbell & Co., of Montreal, has suspended, with direct liabilities of $40,000; indirect, $30,000.

A terrible explosion occurred, on Thursday morning, in Frickin's Hoffnung pit at Pennsdorff, Silesia, killing 20 miners and severely wounding a number of others.

The meeting of the World's Fair managers of Pennsylvania in Harrisburg, unanimously passed a resolution recommending the closing of the exhibition on Sunday.

James L. Flood, of San Francisco, gave his check for $1,000 to the fund to entertain delegates to the convention of the international league of press clubs in that city next month.

A meeting of the Nicaragua canal committee of the California Traffic Association was held yesterday afternoon in San Francisco to formulate an address in favor of having the canal constructed under government control.

Messenger Wallace W. Reed and his helper, Edward Charles, have been presented with valuable gold watches by Wells Fargo officials in San Francisco, for brave conduct during attempted Southern Pacific train robbery near Ceres, September 3.

The United States steamer Albatross arrived at Honolulu, November 25, having made a cable survey from San Francisco to Hawaii. The greatest depth reached was 3,100 fathoms, the average being 2,500 fathoms. About 250 soundings were taken on the route.

The erection of the first pneumatic carriage for big guns was completed, last week, at Sandy Hook. The working of the disappearing carriage agreeably surprised even its inventor. It had not been expected that the first trial would be completely successful, but it was said by Spiller, the inventor, that only a few slight changes would be necessary.

The silk market of Japan has become demoralized during recent years. Only about one-quarter of the silk which comes down is marketed, so that the native markets are constantly glutted. The higher grades are becoming very scarce, especially the filatures, which are chiefly purchased in the United States. The visible supply of silk now in Japan is not less than 38,000 picules, and about 21,000 picules have been sold, two-thirds destined for the United States.

According to accounts published in late Sydney papers, Bloom and Douglas, owners of the yacht Beagle, which left Honolulu very suspiciously, a few weeks ago, were interested in the Australian mercantile and guarantee association, and defrauded the association out of large sums of money, through the assistance, it is alleged, of James Millar, manager of the association. Bloom and Douglass real names were Bell and Davis. It is claimed they succeeded in getting away with 25,000 sovereigns, 6,000 of which belonged to Davis' mother. Another director named Malcolm succeeded, it is said, in getting away with £40,000.

Story of a Ghastly Find.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—Private dispatches received from Guaymas, Mexico, state that the crew of a coasting vessel recently arrived at that port tell a strange and startling story of a ghastly find made some weeks ago. While on the way down the coast from San Diego their vessel was caught in a storm that drove her far out of her course and the captain lost his reckoning. They steered to the southeast for a day and then caught sight of land and bore down to it. It proved to be an island, which, they say, is not down on any chart. A boat was sent ashore, but at first no signs of inhabitants were found. In roaming around the island, which proved to be of considerable size, the crew came to a small village, but not a living soul except themselves was to be found. Scores of skeletons were scattered around, both in the huts and outside on the ground. The crew say that no doubt the island had been swept by a scourge that carried off the entire population, leaving no one to bury the dead. In one hut the remains of 17 persons were found, and several huts contained from six to ten. It is supposed that the island was inhabited by an Indian tribe, and that it succumbed to some plague at least 50 years ago, as the bones were beginning to decay.

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NOTICE.

AS THERE ARE certain rumors around town reflecting upon my credit, I take this opportunity of presenting to the public a statement in connection with my building operations in Victoria West, as regards subcontracts and employees generally.

We, the undersigned, hereby declare that we have been employed by George J. Cook, as Carpenters, &c., in erecting the four houses owned by himself, on lots 14 Powderly Avenue and 9 Belton Avenue. Up to date he has paid us our wages in full. Signed: Richard Jeffares, George Matheson, Neil McLeod, Frank Murton, Thomas Lewis, J. McLeod, G. W. Cowdrey, R. W. Shaw, J. C. Mackay, John Swain, A. Manson, Peter Riddle (foreman).
December 4, 1891.

I, the undersigned, hereby declare to whom it may concern that all the brick and stone work on Mr. George J. Cook's houses on lots 14 Powderly Avenue and 9 Belton Avenue, is paid for up to date. JOHN ELLIS, Bricklayer, Contractor.
December 4, 1891.

We, the undersigned, hereby declare that we have the contract of doing the plumbing work for Mr. George J. Cook, for his house situated on lot 14, Powderly Avenue, and he has paid us for the completion of one house. WATSON & GREGOR, 63 Broad Street.
December 4, 1891.

I, the undersigned, hereby declare that I have the contract of the plastering of Mr. George J. Cook's house on lot 14, Powderly Avenue, and up to date he has paid us for work completed. F. GILCHRIST.
December 4, 1891.

Contract for Doors, Casings and Millwork generally of house on lot 14 Powderly Avenue. Received payment. SAMUEL GRAY.
December 4, 1891.

Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company, Lumber supplied to George J. Cook. Received payment. J. MORRISON, Manager.

GEORGE J. COOK, Contractor.
Victoria, B. C., December 7, 1891. d o2

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AN ANGRY COLONY.

The good people of the Island of Newfoundland are angry at Canadians because the Dominion Government interfered to prevent the consummation of a scheme for reciprocal trade that had been negotiated between that colony and the United States. They think that the Dominion should mind its own business and allow them to make the best bargain they can with the Americans. The bargain was very far from being a good one for Newfoundland, the Yankees having a great deal the best of it, and it was, besides, unjust to the Canadians. The British Government very properly considered that it would not be right to permit the Newfoundlanders to favor the Americans to the detriment of Canada, and, consequently, it refused to sanction the arrangement which, previous to the Dominion's protest, it had looked upon with indifference. This the Newfoundlanders are resenting, and have declared a tariff war against the Dominion. They are very angry, but, if the Dominion Government is judicious, they will soon get over their pet, and be as good friends with Canadians as ever.

NOT AT ALL SKILLFUL.

The Times accuses us of twisting Mr. Laurier's words. That is precisely what we did not do. We quoted Mr. Laurier's own words as they were reported in the leading organ of his own party. This is what the Times has not yet done. It gives its version of what the Liberal Leader said, but it has carefully refrained from setting before its readers the very significant passage which, for fear we should be misunderstood and misrepresented we have twice quoted. Why does the Times not allow its readers to judge of the nature of Mr. Laurier's statement by reproducing for them that statement *verbatim et literatim?*

Our simple and disingenuous contemporary is guilty of a very pretty piece of word-twisting in the following sentence: "When Mr. Laurier said he would have nothing to do with any reciprocity scheme that involved the sacrifice of the *nation's* dignity, he, no doubt, meant what he said."

This is just what Mr. Laurier did not say. He did not say a word about the "nation," and from the tenor of his speech it is evident that he was not thinking about the "nation." The "dignity" that he spoke of was not the "nation's" dignity, as the Times would have its readers believe, but "Canada's dignity," which as our readers know is another and a very different thing. For a sample of word-twisting this is not so bad.

IN A HURRY.

The Times has pronounced the school law unworkable. It produces no evidence on which to support its condemnation. Similar laws have worked well elsewhere, and the law which it condemns is working well in every other part of the province except the city of Victoria. And why does it not work smoothly here? Simply because three of the members of the Board of Trustees are determined that it shall not work well. No law that was ever enacted can do its work if those entrusted with its administration are ignorant, ill-conditioned and wrong-headed. To throw obstacles in the way of the operation of the law and then declare that it is a bad one is not the way fairly to test its efficacy. Common sense requires that the law should have a fair trial before it is condemned, and there is no one so silly as to say that it has had a fair trial in this city. It has been, in a great measure, in the hands of its enemies, yet in spite of their hostility, and their efforts to make it inoperative, they have been unable to produce a dead-lock, or to impede in any way the regular working of the city schools. Although the Board of Trustees has, through the recalcitration of the irreconcilable Three been at sixes and sevens, the work of education has gone on, improvements have been made, and the schools have been supplied with all that they needed. Had the school law been unworkable and inefficient as the Times asserts, this would not have been the case. The Times has opposed the law from the day of its enactment, and it is not wonderful that it is in such hot haste to proclaim it inefficient. It should, at least, have made a pretence of impartiality—assumed a virtue though it had it not.

THE UNIVERSITY BY-LAW.

The defeat of the University by-law is certainly to be regretted, but we think it unjust to the ratepayers of this city to insinuate that its rejection was due to any want of appreciation of the benefits and advantages of higher education. It is more than likely that as many of the friends of higher education voted against the by-law as voted for it. It does not follow because a man votes against raising money for a project at a particular time and in a certain way that he disapproves of the object proposed to be gained by that project. He may have many reasons, and good reasons too, for his opposition to raising the money at the time and in the manner proposed. He may greatly desire the end, though he may consider the means taken to attain it inappropriate and inexpedient. We think that it is neither wise nor just for the friends of higher education, who are disappointed at the result of Wednesday's election, to reproach in harsh and contemptuous terms those who opposed the by-law, or those who refrained from voting for it. The failure to carry the by-law has not killed the university scheme, and its friends will most likely yet need the co operation of their fellow-citizens to carry it out.

We have received a letter on this subject, written presumably by a gentleman who has enjoyed the benefits of higher education, but whatever advantage he may have derived from his scholastic training, it has not taught him to restrain his temper, or to have consideration for the feelings and the convictions of those who differ from him in opinion.

A MARITIME UNION.

Every now and then there is talk of a union of the maritime provinces of Eastern Canada. It is said that those provinces are too much governed, and that their affairs could be better managed with less expense, if they formed one province of the Dominion. There is a good deal of force in much of what is said in favor of a union of those provinces, but the trouble is that the arguments in support of union are much more seriously considered by the inhabitants of the rest of Canada, than they are by the people of the provinces by the sea. Nova Scotians do not like the prospect of placing any share of the control of their affairs in the hands of New Brunswickers, and New Brunswickers cannot abide the notion of knuckling under to the Nova Scotians. As for the Prince Edward Islanders, they consider themselves quite capable of managing their own affairs without the help of their neighbors on the Mainland.

The truth is that the question of a union of the three provinces has never yet been seriously considered by their inhabitants. The people of each of them have got into the habit of acting independently of those of the two others, and they naturally do not like the notion of giving up the control of their local affairs. They do not feel that they are too much governed. They are, indeed, as free from unnecessary governmental interference as the inhabitants of any other part of the Dominion. In Prince Edward Island there are no rural municipalities, and the Provincial Legislature does there, as in this province, the work done in Ontario by the municipalities. The Islanders believe that if they, as would be necessary if the union were effected, divided the province into municipalities with a reeve and council for each, the expense would be nearly, if not altogether, as great as it is now. As the area of the Island is small in proportion to its population, the House of Assembly finds no difficulty in providing for the local wants of the country districts of the province. This is, to a certain extant, if we do not mistake, true of the other two provinces. So the argument of expense has not so much weight with them as one might expect. There is, as far as we can see, no chance of a Union of the Maritime Provinces in the near future, unless a greater inducement is held out to them to unite than any that now appears.

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C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 24th October, 1891. oc25-3m

In the Matter of Abel Beswick, deceased, intestate; and In the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act 1890,

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, William Monteith, have been appointed under an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated 12th Oct., 1891, Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Abel Beswick, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me, forthwith, their said indebtedness; and those having claims thereagainst are required to present same to me within ty days from this date.

Victoria, B. C. 12th Oct., 1891.

WM. MONTEITH,
oc12 2m Official Administrator.

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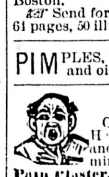

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Imperial Matinee prices, adults, 25c, 35c; children, 15c.

The Latest in Jewelry.

Davidson Bros. have just opened out a magnificent stock of jewelry, watches and Christmas goods in their new store, in the Five Sisters' Block. Don't fail to inspect it. de8-1m

The Grand Jury.

The grand jury have not, as was reported yesterday, been dismissed from attendance at the present court of assizes, not having yet made their presentment. They have received numerous petitions with reference to nuisances, which will no doubt be dealt with in that document.

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The Canuck.

McKee Rankin, whose Sandy in "The Danites" is one of the most celebrated creations of the American stage, will be seen in an entirely different character at the Victoria on the 16th and 17th inst., when the bill is "The Canuck," a Canadian play by a Canadian author, which has caught on immensely wherever it has been produced. The scene is laid in Montreal, and the hero is a "Cabby" of that old Canadian city.

Banking Facilities.

The residents of Nelson, B C., are to be well supplied as to banking accommodation in the early spring. As announced, yesterday, the Bank of B.C. propose to establish a branch in the beginning of 1892, and the Bank of Montreal have now a building in every way suitable well under way, in which they will shortly open a branch. Rumor has it that a third bank, of continental reputation, will also be represented in Nelson early in 1892.

In the City Police Court.

Police Magistrate Belyea had a full list awaiting him in the city police court, yesterday. There were the usual drunks, disposed of in the usual way; and then came the case of Wm. Nicholls, charged with the larceny of three quarts of gin. After hearing a couple of witnesses, the prisoner was adjudged guilty and fined $10 and costs. Wah Kee, for an infraction of the Street by-law, paid a penalty of $1 and costs; and the evidence in the case of Wah Goon, charged with larceny, was heard, the Chinaman being committed for trial.

New Pile Driver.

For some time past Mr. West has been engaged at McIntyre's wharf, Rock Bay, building a scow for a new pile driver, which now lies alongside Spratt's wharf waiting for machinery from the Albion Iron Works. It is 52 feet long, with 22 feet beam, and in so far as the pile driving apparatus is concerned is on a new principle. The hammer weighs over 4,000 pounds, and it has gens 60 feet high; which can be lowered readily so as to go under bridges. It is supplied with a 34-horse power Doty engine, and has a stern wheel with which it can be moved without the use of a tug. It has a water tank under deck which holds 3,000 gallons, and is in every respect considered to be one of the best, if not the best, pile driver on the coast.

For Jewelry.

Davidson Bros. have changed their premises from Yates street to the Five Sisters' Block, Government street. This has been rendered necessary owing to increasing trade, the Yates street premises not being commodious enough to permit of the trade being done. Although but a couple of years in town, the firm have gained a very high reputation, and any person purchasing from them is sure to get the right article at the right price. The new premises are lightsome and airy, giving every facility to inspect the large and miscellaneous stock of first class goods. Special arrangements have been made for the accommodation of customers, and as the showing of goods is not considered any trouble, everybody is welcome to call in and inspect the stock, which ranges from the napkin ring to the silver salver. All will be found in the newest styles, whilst clocks, watches, jewelry of all descriptions, and everything to be found in a first-class store are here to be found in elegant display. A new stock of goods in a new store is bound to be an attraction, and it is here to be found. Prices are right, and guarantees are given with all goods.

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A Useful Book.

We have received from the publishers, The Copp, Clark Company (limited), the Canadian Almanac for the year 1892. This almanac is quite a useful little book, and contains, besides the usual matter found in almanacs, the Canadian tariff, a list of the Dominion banks, the militia list, the names of the postoffices, the medical register and statistics from the third census. The almanac is a most valuable one and will be found exceedingly useful to business men.

Imperial Matinee prices, adults, 25c, 35c, children, 15c.

The Busy Burglar.

Almost every day—or night—for weeks past has seen some petty burglary committed in Victoria, and the inference is that a regular gang of enterprising but not over ambitious thieves are working the town. Early yesterday morning Ward's grocery, at the corner of Government and John streets, Rock Bay, was the scene of operations. A panel was cut off the front door, and an entrance thus having been gained the cash drawer was drilled into and $40 taken. As usual, the thieves did their work well, leaving no clue behind.

Ladies' and children's matinee, Imperial.

In Chambers.

PACIFIC ASPHALT CO. VS. MCGREGOR AND JEEVES—To sign judgment under order XIV. Judgment for amount paid in; leave to defendant to defend as to bail, costs to be costs in the cause. Bodwell and Irving for plaintiff, Geo. Jay for defendant.

LAU DING ET. AL. VS. WONG YUE WAN—Security for costs Order made, security being fixed at $150 of proceedings in meantime. Belyea and Gregory for plaintiff, Walker, Pemberton and Dumbleton for defendant.

A Christmas Entertainment.

The first of the Christmas Sunday school entertainments was given by the St. Paul's Presbyterian church, last night, in Victoria West hall, when a large number of merry faces were to be seen. A large Christmas tree, loaded down with presents of all kinds, was placed in the centre of the stage, around which Santa-Claus—all muffled up—appeared, loaded down with good things for the youngsters. The programme of the evening opened with a short musical entertainment, followed by a supper. The presents having been distributed, special prizes were awarded to Geo. Skinner, Harry Walsh, Ralph Walsh, Sarah McDonald, Wattie Caven, Georgie Caven, Maggie Muir, and Alice McArthur for their regular attendance and their hard work during the year. A considerable sum was realized from the admission fee, which will go toward the Sabbath-school library of the church.

The purest Jams are O'Kell & Morris'. *

The Zambesi-Dutard Case.

The case of the Zambesi Dutard collision must be quite fresh in the minds of the readers of THE COLONIST, as a full account of the disaster appeared in these columns, a few weeks ago. In the Court of Admiralty, yesterday, Sir M. B. Begbie, C.J., and Captain St. Clair, R.N., of H.M.S. Champion, sat to hear the evidence and decide which vessel was to blame. Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken and C. E. Pooley appeared on behalf of the owners of the Fannie Dutard, and Messrs. Bodwell & Irving represented the s.s. Zambesi. The day was taken up in examining the captain, mate, and the seamen of the Dutard, whose evidence went to show that, when the schooner was making a S.S.W. course in a very light 1½-knot breeze, she sighted the Zambesi about eight points on her bow. Though the latter had fog horns and whistles blowing at the time, the witnesses allege that she altered her course and bore right down on the schooner, striking her amidships, and that if the latter had not been lumber laden she would have been cut in two. They stated that had not the Zambesi suddenly altered her course all would have been well. The witnesses were subjected to rigid cross-examination, after which the case was adjourned till Monday morning, when the Zambesi's witnesses will be examined.

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Fanchon, the Cricket, Imperial matinee.

Harper vs. Cameron.

This *cause celebre*, which was listed for yesterday morning, did not come up. It was supposed to come up on an application for a new trial, but as judges are scarce just at present in Victoria, and two courts sitting, there was very little Chamber work done. The Harper and Cameron case was not, in consequence, taken up. It is hoped that it will be reached by Tuesday next. There will be a full court, it is expected, on Monday next, when several long standing cases will be entertained.

Well Worth a Visit.

After a year of prosperity, Victorians are already making preparation for a celebration of Christmas in good old English style. Mr. Henry Saunders, the grocer, is receiving larger supplies than ever of choice fruits, specially fine groceries, bon bons, and, in fact, all things needful for the holiday feasts, and a call at his establishment, at 39 and 41 Johnson street, is at present as good as a visit to some big exposition, where everything tempting the taste is found in rich variety under one roof. *

A Successful Operation.

Doctors E. and F. Hall yesterday performed a very difficult operation on Mr. Patton, who, it will be remembered, fell from the scaffolding of a house in course of erection, on Thursday afternoon. They opened the neck and found two of the vertebrae pressing hard on the spinal cord. One of the bones was removed and the other put into its proper position. The operation was a complete success, but the doctors are dubious about the ultimate recovery of their patient, as the vertebrae in the fall he sustained made a very violent concussion with the spinal cord, which they are afraid is permanently injured. The sufferer was conscious after the operation.

Children's day at the Imperial.

B. C. Benevolent Society.

A meeting of the B. C. Benevolent Society was held in the City Hall, yesterday, evening, and a goodly number of those interested in the work were in attendance. Among those present were Mrs. D. J. Harris, president; Mrs. Rudlin, Miss McMicking, Mrs. H. Kent, Mrs. Gandin, Mrs. L. McQuade, Mrs. C. Kent, Mrs. L. McIntosh, Mr. Burnes, Miss Hyams, Mr. H. S. Mason, Mr. W. Gall, and Mrs. Rutland. It was decided to hold a grand entertainment in the public market, on the 19th instant, consisting of vocal and instrumental music and a dance. A very excellent programme is promised, by nearly all the best local talent of the city. The admission fee was set down as fifty cents. The entertainment will no doubt prove a great attraction, and, when the worthy object in view is considered, there can be no doubt that the new building will look its best under so favorable an opening. There are many demands on the funds of the Society, this season, and it is only necessary to state the case to secure a liberal response.

Big Blaze at Seattle.

One of the most destructive fires which has occurred in Seattle of late, was that of Thursday night last, by which the greater pars of the plant of the Mechanics' Mill & Lumber Co., on the tide flats, was destroyed, entailing a loss of from $75,000 to $100,000. The Seattle Boiler works was also damaged to the amount of $2,000 or $3,000. The fire originated in the engine-house of the lumber mill, and the fire alarm was instantly sounded. The fire brigade were prompt in their attendance, but owing to the fact that the supply of water was scarce, little headway could be made. To make matters worse, the hose of the mill company were destroyed, being stored in the engine house, and for fully forty minutes the fire met with no serious resistance. The flames spread rapidly and quite a panic ensued, all the adjoining premises being in imminent danger. The householders of the district cleared out their dwellings, while the adjoining factories had all hands on the scene, working hard to save their respective properties. When the brigade got fairly into work, they succeeded in cutting off the fire at both ends of the wharf, just as the flames had destroyed the offices of the Seattle Boiler works. The dry docks were next the chief attraction, and for a while there were little hopes of saving them, but zealous work had the desired effect. The damage done is only partially covered by insurance — about $27,000 representing the total amount of insurance.

Reg. vs. Vipond.

The case of Reg. v. Vipond, listed for yesterday, has been postponed owing to the illness of the prisoner. He is held in custody in Nanaimo on a charge of indecent assault, and was expected to take his stand in the dock here during the present assizes.

Social Dance.

Another social dance was given by the Iona Social Club, in Harmony Hall, last night, when a most pleasant evening was enjoyed by the young people, who were about forty in number. Some fine selections of music were furnished by the Bantley family.

Laumeister v. Bowker.

In this action the following motion was to have been made to the Chief Justice, yesterday, but his engagement in the Zambesi-Dutard case prevented. It will, no doubt, come up within a few days. Defendant's motion for an order that the amount found to have been expended by defendant in improvements or repairs upon it, or in keeping down or paying off any moneys changed thereon, or otherwise in preparing for or endeavoring to effect any sale of the land, may be ordered to be paid to the defendant, together with interest; and that Mary Bowker may be added as a party to the suit for the purpose of raising and having decided the question of title to so much of the land directed to be sold as is registered in her name.

Imperial Theatre.

A crowded house met the Imperial Stock Co'y, last night, at this cosy resort of amusement lovers, when they presented the celebrated English emotional temperance drama, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," dramatized from T. S. Arthurs novel of the same name. Miss Dalgleish as Mehitable Cartwright was very good and shewed a thorough conception of her part Miss Belmour as Mrs. Morgan played her part very well, and was frequently applauded. Mr. L. Belmour, as "Joe Morgan," the drunken husband, was all that could be desired, and his thorough acting showed very careful study, also that he is an actor of no mean ability and one whose conceptions are rarely at fault. Mr. C. M. Gray as "Sample Swichel" was as usual very funny, and kept the audience in good humor and always succeeded in coming in just in the nick of time. The balance of the company played their parts very well. The play is full of startling effects, and is a good lecture on temperance, and certainly is more effective than a lecture. "Ten Nights in a Barroom" will be repeated, to night. At the matinee, this afternoon, the drama "Fanchon the Cricket" will be played.

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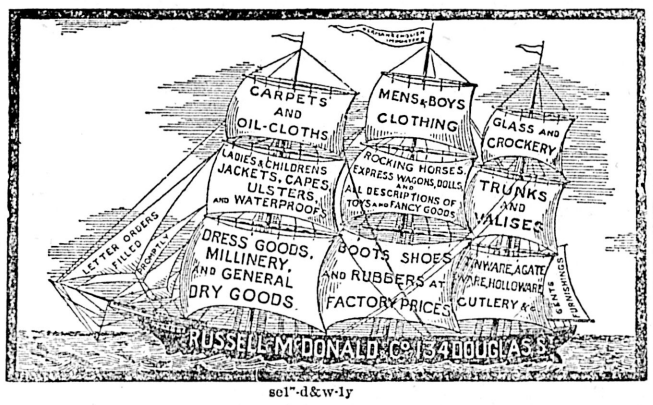

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FORCED TO FIGHT.

A German Officer Avenges Himself on an Old Friend for a Marital Wrong.

BERLIN, Dec 11.—A duel, with unusual and sensational features, has just taken place at Worms, the principals being Herr Schoen, a wealthy art patron conspicuous as a promoter of the famous Bayreuth-Wagnerian festivals, and Lieutenant Ziemssen, of the Eighteenth Infantry, who occupied a prominent position in social life and is connected with some of the most distinguished families of Germany. Rumors have been afloat that Herr Schoen, the closest friend of the lieutenant, had wrought the ruin of his friend's wife, and finally those rumors came to the ears of the lieutenant but he refused to give them credence and continued his cordial relations with Schoen. The friends who had caused the facts to be brought to his attention were not satisfied with the manner in which the officer received the news of what was being said of his domestic relations, and an intimation to this effect was conveyed to him, but it met with no recognition. The next step taken by the officers was to lay the case before a military council of honor, composed of Ziemssen's own colonel and other officers of rank and experience.

After hearing the circumstances, this tribunal summoned Lieutenant Ziemssen and invited him to justify his course. He declared that he had no reason to suspect his wife of any wrong-doing. On the contrary, he had every confidence in her, as well as in the loyalty of Herr Schoen, and that he did not feel called upon, because evil disposed persons had indulged in malicious scandal mongering, to have a falling out with his friend, nor to humilitate his wife by dragging her name into a public quarrel. He was inclined to think that the whole affair was a well-arranged plot, devised by enemies against the peace and happiness of himself and family. Notwithstanding the Lieutenant's protests, the verdict of the council of honor was that, under the circumstances, he was bound to challenge Herr Schoen, and, failing to adopt this course, he must resign his command, as he would no longer be considered a fit associate for his fellow officers. There being no alternative, Lieutenant Leimssen submitted to the inevitable, selected his second and challenged Herr Schoen.

A suitable rejoinder was made, and the meeting occurred early, yesterday morning, at a point on the Rhine a few miles outside the historic city. Though Ziemssen had avoided the hostile meeting as long as he could, he showed in the hour of danger that he was no coward, that he was not disposed to avoid the letter and spirit of the decree of the council of honor. He not only did his share of the firing but he fired to hit and his quondam bosom friend fell with a bullet through his lungs. Ziemssen escaped unhurt, while his antagonist's wounds were so severe that the physicians give no hope of his recovery. The affair has given rise to an extraordinary amount of gossip, and two parties may be said to exist, one claiming that Ziemssen should have been allowed to be the judge of his own domestic affairs and not subject to coercion from outsiders, while the other faction hold that the matter was settled the only way it could be honorably, and nothing but Ziemssen's final winging of his man has atoned for his slowness in bringing about the meeting on the field of honor.

A PRETTY TRAMP

Found Asleep in a Box Car in Male Attire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The Times' St. Louis, Mo.. special says: Yardmaster James Dewey found a young tramp asleep in a box car, yesterday morning, ultimately discovering the tramp was a girl. She presented a deplorable appearance, but on being washed, proved to be an exceedingly pretty girl, 17 years old. She said her name was Josie Lorif, and that her father was a farmer of Miller county. She had run away from home in order to earn her own living. Soon after her arrival in Chicago she secured employment in a clothing factory as a sewing girl. Her wages were so small that she was compelled to seek the humblest quarters, and lived with a poor woman in a squalid part of the big city. Two weeks ago she determined to go home, but not having the amount of her fare, decided to "beat" her way on freight trains, and taking a pair of ragged discarded trousers, a greasy coat much too large for her, and a heavy cast-off pair of shoes, started out.

She travelled two days, walking on the railroad tracks and stealing rides at night in cars, but on the third day out she succumbed to chills and fever and became delirious. A railroad man's wife, living on the outskirt's of some small town, of which she does not remember the name, took her in for eight days, and she was confined with a fever. The few dollars she had earned she gave to the lady who helped her, and to the physician for his medicine. Two days ago, after the fever had left her, she put on her ragged men's clothes, and, without the formalities of parting, resumed her journey. She walked for some time and then crawled into an empty box car at some station in Illinois, where the train was on a sidetrack. When she woke up she found a man tugging at her coat and telling her to get out of the car. Her parents have been communicated with, and she will be sent home.

Christmas numbers of London News, Graphic, Sporting and Dramatic News, Ladies' Pictorial and the Boys' and Girls' Annuals, for 1892, have arrived, and are for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

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By order. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office, Dec. 8, 1891. C. M. C.
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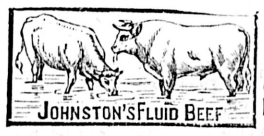

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A BY-LAW

To Aid the British Columbia Agricultural Association.

WHEREAS the British Columbia Agricultural Association is a society duly incorporated under the laws of the said Province for the protection and advancement of agricultural interests and for the promotion and welfare of mechanical and industrial operations, which holds its exhibitions in the Provincial Electoral District without the municipal limits of said Corporation, but adjoining such Municipality;

And whereas the Corporation of the City of Victoria has determined to aid and assist the said Association in its building operations by giving to the said Association the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) for the purpose of paying for exhibition buildings;

And whereas for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000);

And whereas it will require the sum of $1,936 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt hereby created, and the interest thereon;

And whereas the whole amount of the rateable land or real property of the said Corporation, appearing by the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1890, is $9,358,194, irrespective of any future increase of the rateable land or real property of the Municipality, and of any income in nature of tolls, interest, or dividends from the work, or from any stock, shares, or interest in the work upon which the money so to be raised, or any part thereof, is intended to be invested, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investment of the sinking fund, or any part thereof;

And whereas for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the Municipal Act, 1891, an equal special rate of 21-1000 of one per cent. on the dollar will be required;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City of Victoria to raise by way of loan from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (or the sterling equivalent of that sum), and to cause the same to be paid in to the Treasurer of the said Corporation, and the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars shall be paid out by the said Treasurer to such person or persons in such sum or sums as shall appear by the certificate of the Board of Trustees hereinafter mentioned.

2. There shall be appointed a Board of Trustees of the said Association, and the same shall consist of five members, three to be appointed by the said Association and two by the said Corporation.

3. Before any monies realized under this by-law are paid the whole property of the said Association hall be vested in the said Trustees and the successors.

4. If the said Trustees so to be appointed as aforesaid, or either of them shall die, go to reside abroad, refuse or become incapable to act in the trusts hereinafter set forth, the place of the Trustees so dying, going to reside abroad, refusing or becoming incapable to act in the said trusts, shall be filled by the appointment of a new Trustee or Trustees by the said Association, in case of the three Trustees appointed by them and by the said Corporation in the case of the two Trustees appointed by them.

5. The duties of the said Trustees shall be to see that the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars is wholly and properly expended by the said Association in paying for bona fide permanent improvements upon the property of the said Association and in no other manner whatever.

6. The said Association shall keep the buildings erected in good and substantial repair, reasonable wear and tear excepted, and in the event of the said Association ceasing to carry on its operations as an Agricultural Association upon the premises upon which the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars shall have been expended, then the said sum of Twenty-five thousand Dollars shall be the first charge thereon.

7. The acceptance by the said Association of the benefit of this grant shall be conclusive evidence of the assent of the said Association to the foregoing clauses of this by-law.

8. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any of the said debentures to be issued for such sums of money as may be required, not less than five hundred dollars (or the sterling equivalent of that sum) each, and each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation, signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

9. The said debentures shall be payable in twenty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect at the office of the said Treasurer of the said Corporation, at the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them Coupons for the payment of interest.

10. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of Five per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

11. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures, and the interest to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 21-1,000 of one per centum on the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures, or any of them.

12. That it shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council from time to time to purchase any of the said debentures, and such debentures shall be so expressed as to entitle the said Council to redeem and purchase the same on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof.

13. This by-law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the ratepayers of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1891, and shall take effect on the 23rd day of December, 1891.

14. The said Mayor shall not issue any of the said debentures until the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall request him so to do.

This by-law may be cited as the "Agricultural Association Loan By-law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 28th day of November, 1891.

Received the assent of the ratepayers the 9th day of December, A.D. 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 9th day of December, A.D. 1891.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 12, 1891.

Sun rises......7:44 a.m. | Sun sets......4:01 p.m.
Moon rises, 4:14 p.m.

Day of the year, 346th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Dec. 10, 1891.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	36°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	35°	40°	
9 a. m..	37°	Highest	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	43°	44°	1 p.m.—4 miles N.
5 p. m..	44°	Lowest	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	43°	33°	Rain—.12.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Geo T Edwards, J C Knuckler, S B Hunt, G D Buchanan, E C Rogers, P Stemp and wife, E J Hebert, C H Doutrick M Norcross, W Carsten, J W Theber, Mrs Sullivan, Mrs Kelley, C E Reed, A Daniel, A Benjamin, J D Lyons and wife, D Mound and wife, O Osthoff, John Keene C E, H Russell.

Per steamer ISLANDER, from Vancouver—W W Glassier, Miss Rhodes, W Shrapnel, Miss Walkem, F A McDowell, J Thoburn, John Gilmore, Mrs G Underwood, D McLeod, H McGilvery, S Kushburg, J J Southcott, Miss Charles, J R Smith, J Perkins, R A Welsh, A Guiatti, Geo Noble, Eva Sofa, C T W Piper, W H Noble S Fader and wife, C J Piper, Justice and Mrs Walkem, E H Fletcher, Wm Templeman and wife, J Meiller, F Tartes, R J Frost, Miss Caldwell, G Langley, E J Eyres.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound: C Campbell & Co, Lenz & L, F Norris, McLennan & McF, W Jackson jr, W G McKenzie, C Hayward, T Shotbolt, Ames, Holden & Co, M W Waitt & Co, R H Brown, R Jamieson, W J Pendry, McKillican & A, Matthews, R & T, R Lettice, J S Anderson, F R Morrow, A Garesche, Royal City P M Co, M H Young, Diplock Book and S House, Phillips Bros, James D Maynard.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The Norwegian Bark Dominion Starting to Discharge Cargo.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT, Dec. 11.

Steamer Danube entered the dry dock at 10 o'clock this morning, for general repairs.

The Norwegian bark Dominion, which put into Esquimalt harbor the other day with nine feet of water in her hold, will start to discharge her cargo of lumber to-day. After the lumber is all out she will go into the dry dock for repairs.

Str. Belle brought in a scow load of lumber this afternoon.

The steamer Bushmills, soon to arrive from England, is under charter to the same company who brought out the West Indian and the Grandholm; but this is a much larger and better boat than either of her predecessors.

Schr. Oscar and Hattie will be hauled on Clark's ways in the morning for a general overhauling.

Bark Morning Light is taking on a cargo of lumber at the Hastings saw mill. She is being loaded by the B.C. Provincial Stevedore company.

Bark Atacaina lies at the Hastings saw mill, ready for sea. She has on board 1,000,000 feet of lumber for Valparaiso. Her captain is on the sick list; hence the delay.

Bark Nineveh, Captain Broadfoot, will complete her cargo of lumber, to-day, at the Hastings saw mill. She has 962,000 feet of the very best of lumber for Syndey, Australia.

Over 100 men are employed at the new outer wharf making the pontoons for the wrecked steamer San Pedro. The work will not be completed for a week or so, but the present cribs loaded with iron will be set under the steamer so as to prevent her from further straining herself.

An Astoria despatch, yesterday, says: The Norwegian steamer Marie is off Nestucca with a broken shaft, in 110 fathoms of water, and has her anchors out with ninety fathoms of chain. She expected to be able to hold. When they took ground the captain of the steamship Willamette ranged alongside, yesterday, on his way up and offered to tow her to the mouth of the Columbia and turn her over to the tugs for $1,500, but the captain of the Marie declined under the circumstances. The Marie is on her way to Nanaimo, to load coal. She expects to wait for the steamer Oregon and be towed to San Francisco for repairs.

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Str. Islander..............from Vancouver.
" Victorian .... " Port Townsend.
" Kingston.............. " "
" Mystery............... " Nananimo.
" Granholm.............. " Vancouver.

CLEARED.

Str. Islander..............for Vancouver.
" Victorian .... " Port Townsend.
" City of Kingston.... " "

MUNICIPAL.

APPLICATIONS will be received at the office of the undersigned until the 23rd of December, instant, for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), issued under authority of the British Columbia Agricultural Association Loan By-Law and the Municipal Act, 1891. Any information required will be supplied on application to the undersigned. The highest or any bid not necessarily accepted.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
December 10, 1891. dell

A BY-LAW

For Correcting and Revising Municipal Voters' List for 1891.

IT IS HEREBY ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, that the Voters' Lists of 1891 for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, shall be finally corrected and revised by the Mayor and Council of said City, at the City Hall, Victoria, and certified as correct by the Mayor, on Monday, 21st day of December, A. D. 1891. That all complaints in respect to the said Voters' List, will be heard and determined by the Mayor and Council of the said City at the time and place aforesaid: Provided notice in writing specifying the nature of any such complaint or complaints and signed by the person or persons complaining, to be delivered to the City Clerk at the City Hall, not later than Saturday, the 19th day of December, A. D. 1891.

This By-law may be cited as "The Voters' Lists Revision By-Law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal, Council the 2nd day of December, A. D., 1891.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 9th day of December, A.D. 1891.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. decll

NOTICES.

A BY-LAW.

To establish Public Markets and Weigh-houses in the City of Victoria, and to regulate the same.

Be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

DESIGNATION OF MARKETS.

The following places shall be respectively designated and declared to be public markets of the City of Victoria, to wit:

That piece or parcel of land comprised in lots 586, 587, 588 and west half 589, block N, situate on Cormorant street, which said piece or parcel of land is set apart for the sale of butchers' meats, fish, vegetables, butter, eggs, cheese, and other farm produce, together with dry goods, fancy goods, etc.,

And lots 594, 595, 596, 597 and 598, situate on Fisguard street, which portion of land is set apart for weigh scales and for sale of cattle, farm produce, firewood, etc,

DUTIES OF MARKET SUPERINTENDENT.

1. The Market Superintendent shall, under the control and direction of the Market Committee, have the care and superintendence of the said markets, market places and weigh-house and it shall be his duty to execute and carry into effect all regulations, orders and by-laws for the government of said markets, and to prosecute any breach thereof, and to keep a record of the same. The said Superintendent and also his deputies or assistants, if any, shall be sworn in as special constables, and shall wear a badge, indicative of his or their authority as such, and shall attend the markets constantly during market hours.

2. It shall be the duty of the said Market Superintendent to inspect all articles brought to the market, to decide all differences and disputes as to the qualities thereof between buyers and sellers, to classify the various denominations of vendors in said markets and to arrange all those contiguously who deal in the same or similar articles; to arrange all vehicles brought to the said markets and to enforce with impartiality all regulations for the government of the same.

3. The markets shall be kept open daily, except Sundays and public holidays, from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. from the first of May until the first day of November, and from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. from the first of November until the first of May in each and every year. The shops, hereinafter provided for in Clause 13 of this By-law, shall be allowed to keep open until 9 p.m., provided always, that on Saturday, in each and every week, unless the Saturday falls upon a public holiday, in which case, on the day preceding any such public holiday, the said markets and shops shall be kept open until 10 p.m., from first December till first May, and 11 p.m., from the first May till first December.

4. The Market Superintendent shall be, ex officio, Weighmaster for the City of Victoria, and he shall, in addition to his duties as said Superintendent, keep open the weigh house or weighing machine, or weigh houses or weighing machines, that are now, or may hereafter, be established, and to attend thereat during market hours for the purpose of weighing articles required to be weighed, and the scales, weights and measures, and everything connected with them, shall be maintained in a clean and orderly manner, and the Market Superintendent, or his assistants, shall weigh or measure the different articles that are sold, or are to be sold and disposed of on the said markets whenever required by the parties interested therein, or any one of them, for which weighing or measuring he shall be entitled to ask, demand and receive the charges set forth from time to time by resolution of the City Council. And said Superintendent or his assistant, if any, shall keep a regular account in detail of all goods or articles weighed or measured by him or his assistant, if any, with the name of the party for whom such was weighed or measured, and the amount of fee received therefor, and shall pay over to the City Treasurer, weekly, as a part of the revenue of the City, the whole of said fees, or other fees which may be derived from the market, and once in each month shall report the amount so paid to the Committee.

5. It shall be the duty of said weigh-master when any article or articles are brought to be weighed or measured, loaded on a wagon or other vehicle:

(*a*). To furnish the owner or person in charge of the load with a weigh-note dated and signed by him, the said weigh-master, setting forth the gross weight of such load, with the wagon or other vehicle, and the tare of the wagon or other vehicle, the net weight of the load and the name of the seller, except for hay or straw, in which case the gross weight only shall be given, unless as provided in the next subsection.

(*b*). Whenever required to do so, either by the purchaser or seller, on the same day that he has weighed any load, and after the load has been unloaded to weigh the wagon or other vehicle upon which the same was loaded, and to endorse upon the weigh-note the exact weight of such wagon or other vehicle.

6. It shall not be lawful for the superintendent or any of his deputies or assistants to trade either directly or indirectly in, or have any direct or indirect interest in the sale or profits of any things or animals which shall be brought or exposed for sale on any of the said markets or market places, or to purchase any such on behalf of any other person or persons; but the said superintendent or his assistants shall not hereby be prohibited from purchasing in the said market what may be necessary for the private use of themselves and families.

7. The Market Superintendent shall be the custodian of the keys of the Market building, and shall cause the same to be opened and closed daily at the hours and times set forth in clause three of this by-law.

8. The Market Superintendent shall have full power to collect all tolls, rents and fees, excepting the rents of stalls in the Market building, and to take proceedings to dispossess or remove any persons refusing to pay the same, and to summon the offender or offenders before the proper authorities to answer for such refusal.

BUTCHERS, HUCKSTERS, ETC.

9. No butcher or other person shall slaughter, bleed or gut any animal or fish, or pluck or remove the feathers from any fowl, poultry or wild game of any description, or pluck or remove the hair or wool from any sheep or other skin, or expose any meat in a bleeding state, or the uncleaned entrails of any animal in or upon the said public markets or any other place within the city where meats are exposed for sale, or lay or throw, or deposit any dirt, dung, garbage or offal therein.

10. No butcher, huckster, grocer, trader or other person shall sell, expose or offer for sale in any public market or at any place within the limits of the City of Victoria, any measley pork, or unsound, diseased, stale, rotten, fermented, nauseous or unwholesome meat, poultry, fish, vegetables, fruits, or other articles of food or provisions, or the flesh of any animal dying otherwise than by slaughter, or any bull beef or boar pork unless sold as such, or poultry, from which the entrails and crop have not been removed, or any unwholesome bread, cake or pastry, manufactured in whole or in part from unwholesome flour or meal.

11. Every person selling meat or articles of provisions by retail, whether by weight or measure, in this city, shall provide himself, herself, or themselves, with scales, weights and measures regularly stamped, marked and adjusted by the Inspector of Weights and Measures.

12. No butcher or other person shall leave or deposit within the market building or on the pathway or square surrounding the same, any green hides or skins, or hides or skins in a bleeding state, nor leave or expose for sale any such hides or skins in any vehicle after the hour of 8 a. m. during the months of April, May, June, July, August, September or October in each year.

13. The occupants of all shops in this city for the sale by retail of butcher's meat, fresh, salt, or smoked; fish, fresh, salt, or smoked; vegetables and fruit, shall be under the supervision of the Market Superintendent, and subject to the provisions of this by-law, in so far as the same are generally applicable.

14. No butcher or other person shall place, leave or expose any meat, fish, or vegetables upon or over any of the public sidewalks or streets in the city for a longer time than may be reasonably necessary to transfer the same to and from the shop of such person.

15. No person shall slaughter, sell, offer, expose for sale or barter or trade in meat of any calf less than four weeks old. Nor shall any person burn, scar, or cut the inner parts of or confine the mouth of any calf by rope, twine or any kind of muzzle; and no person shall in any manner tie or confine by rope, twine or otherwise, the feet of any calf, sheep, lamb, swine or poultry, which may be brought to or exposed in this city for sale.

16. Any person or persons permitted to occupy any of the stalls for the sale of meat, fish, or vegetables in the markets established, or which may hereafter be established, in this city, shall keep his or their stalls in a clean or proper state, and shall not suffer any offal or offensive thing to remain in or near the premises after 8 a. m., and shall pay to the City of Victoria such license fee as the Council may by by-law determine.

17. No person having a shop, stall or standing in any of the markets of the city shall in any manner under let the said shop, stall or standing without having first obtained leave in writing from the committee.

18. No person shall place, cause or permit to be placed, in any of the passages or open spaces in the public market, any bench, table, chair, or any other article or substance whatever, which may be calculated to obstruct the free use of the whole of such passage or open space.

19. The butchers, and hucksters' stalls in the market, and any other market that may be hereafter established, shall be let annually in the month of March, under regulations of the committee, at such rentals as may be fixed upon from time to time by the City Council, all such stalls to be leased for the term of one year from the first day of April. Any stall or standing which shall not be so rented in the month of March aforesaid may at any time be rented by the committee to any responsible person, or, if the committee should see fit, they may let the stalls by public auction.

20. All rents of stalls or stands in the public markets of the city shall be paid monthly in advance; and each lessee shall, with one or more sureties, to be approved by the committee, enter into a lease with the city of Victoria, conditioned to pay the rent in the manner herein provided, and for the faithful observance and subject to the penalties of the provisions of this by-law.

21. The Market Superintendent shall deliver to the Tax Collector a monthly roll of the amounts due for rents to the city from persons occupying shops, stalls and stands in the public market. It shall be the duty of the said Collector to collect the same promptly.

22. If the lessee of any stall or stand shall neglect for five days after notice that the same has become due, to pay the rent thereof, it shall be the duty of the Market Superintendent to enter and take possession of such stall or stand on behalf of the city; and all leases shall contain a provision and covenant on the part of the lessees so entitling the Market Superintendent.

23. If any lessee of any stall or stand whose lease shall have been forfeited, either by effluxion of time or otherwise, shall hold, use or occupy any stall or stand in the public market, he shall forfeit and pay to the city ten lars for each day he shall so hold, use or occupy the same, and the lease shall contain a provision to that effect.

24. The Market Superintendent, Health Officer, Health Inspector or any Police Officer may inspect all meats or other articles of provision that may be offered or exposed for sale in the public markets or any other place within the limits of the City of Victoria, and, in his or their own discretion, shall have the power to seize or destroy, or cause to be destroyed, such as may be blown, tainted, or otherwise unfit to be used as food.

25. No farmer or other person shall sell of dispose of, or offer for sale, any article of provision, or of farm or of garden produce, upon any of the public streets, or in any other place within the said city, unless he or she has first been to the public market with such article or load of such farm or garden produce, and paid the proper fee thereon. Provided, that nothing in this clause shall prevent farmers or gardeners from delivering to their customers within the city farm or garden produce, upon their taking out licenses under the Revenue By-law, and paying the proper license fee; and such farmers or gardeners, who have such licenses, shall not be subject to the provisions of this clause. Provided further, that this clause shall not be deemed to apply to any person having a shop or other permanent place of business in this city for the sale, by retail, of the aforesaid articles.

26. No person shall be guilty of the offence of forestalling, regrating, or monopolizing within this market fresh fish, fruits, roots, vegetables, poultry or dairy products, eggs, or any article required for family use, or such as are usually sold in the markets, brought into the city for sale, and no person shall buy any of the said articles, except for his own family use, before the hour of 11 o'clock a.m., and no person knowingly shall sell any of the said articles to any butcher, grocer, huckster, or runner in any of the said markets, before the hour aforesaid, respectively, and notwithstanding that such articles are, in any of the said instances, sold or bought for export from the city; and no butcher, grocer, huckster, or runner shall, before the hour of 11 a.m., in any of the said markets, go to any wagon or other vehicle in which articles are exposed for sale, to bargain, or offer for the purchase of, or make a standing offer, of a price for any article to be paid to the vendor in case the vendor fails to sell such article to another purchaser at a higher price, or shall keep back or hinder other persons from purchasing; and any butcher, grocer, huckster, or runner so doing or refusing to desist from so doing, and go away upon being requested to desist, or go away, or in otherwise acting contrary to this section, shall be deemed to be guilty of a breach of this by-law.

Provided that from the 1st May to the 30th September in each year, farmers, immediately upon their arrival upon the public market, and after having paid the market fees, may sell at any hour to any person upon the public market or throughout the city, fresh meat, the produce of their own farm, by the quarter or any greater quantity.

WEIGHING AND MEASURING.

27. There shall be a public weigh-house and weighing machine established in the city of Victoria at such place or places as the Council may direct.

28. All weigh-notes given for articles or loads weighed by the weigh master or his assistants shall be binding and final as to their contents upon all persons concerned in the buying or selling of the articles or load.

29. The weights and measures regulating the weighing and measuring of the articles and produce for general consumption, or applicable to this by-law, shall be the weights and measures as established by the Dominion Government.

30. Any person committing or attempting to commit any fraud in the selling or weighing of hay, straw, coal, or any other article or thing, or introducing heavy articles into the wagon or other vehicle, or by wetting or concealing wet or unmerchantable articles in the load, or by using any fraudulent device or contrivance, or by any means whatever, shall be liable to the penalties provided for an infraction of this by-law.

31. All hay, straw, and firewood, brought into the city in a wagon, cart, or other vehicle drawn by horses or any other animals, to be sold or offered for sale, shall be exposed for sale in the hay, straw, or wood market as established by this by-law, or which may hereafter be established in this city, and at no other place within the said city; and all such wagons, carts, or other vehicles, shall be placed in such hay, straw or wood markets in such order and position as the market superintendent shall determine; and no person shall depart from the line or order in which he has been placed before he has disposed of his load, unless to leave the market, nor shall he loiter about the streets of the city with his load. There shall be paid to the Superintendent of said market, or his assistant, if any, by the owner, or driver of every wagon, cart, or other vehicle drawn by horses or other animals, bringing into this city for sale hay, straw, or wood, such weighing or measuring fee or fees as may be set forth from time to time by resolution of the City Counsel.

32. It shall be competent for any purchaser who shall suspect any fraudulent dealing, or deem himself or herself wronged in the weight or measure of any article or articles bought by him or her on the public markets, or in any part of the city of Victoria, to demand and have such article or articles re-weighed or re-measured at or upon any of the public scales or markets, and the purchaser shall pay the charge of such re-weighing or re-measuring, should the pretended weight or measure be found to be correct, but, if otherwise, the vendor shall pay such charges, besides the penalty hereby imposed, for breach of any provision of this by-law.

33. The vendor of hay, straw or wood, immediately on his arrival on any of the public markets, and before he has offered the same for sale, shall cause his load or loads to be weighed or measured, as the case may be, by the weighmaster or his assistant, and shall produce to any purchaser on request, the weigh-note or certificate of quantity contained in such load or loads. And the seller of any such hay, straw and wood, or of coal, fresh meat, dairy produce, farm or garden produce, or any such other article or thing so sold by weight or measure, who refuses to produce the "weigh-note" relative to such purchase for inspection, when demanded to do so by said purchaser, shall be deemed guilty of infraction of this by-law.

34. All firewood brought into the city and exposed or offered for sale, or marketed, shall be sold by the cord, and such cord shall contain 128 feet of wood, cubic measurement, measured from point to scarf.

35. The Market Superintendent or his assistants, if any, may inspect and measure all firewood brought into the city for sale or to be marketed.

36. No firewood shall be deceitfully or unfairly piled so as to appear of greater measurement than if fairly, closely and compactly piled; no crooked wood shall be packed or piled with cordwood, but the same shall be packed or piled separately, the Market Superintendent or his assistant making due allowance for such crooked wood in his measurements. In measuring wood, one-third to be allowed off all cross piles.

37. It shall be the duty of the Market Superintendent or his assistant, either upon request, or upon information given him, or of his own accord, to inspect and examine any firewood publicly exposed for sale or sold within the city, and in case the said firewood shall be found short of the measure as before stated, or shall be found not to be closely or properly piled, the person or persons offering or exposing the same for sale shall be deemed guilty of an infraction of this by-law.

MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF BREAD.

38. All household bread manufactured by any person in the city for sale, or offered for sale, or sold in the city, shall be of good and wholesome flour or meal, and shall be of the full weight of one pound and two pounds respectively for the small and large loaves, and shall be marked with the number indicating the weight of said loaves, and also with the initial letters of the baker or bakers thereof. The term "household bread" to imply all bread when two or more loaves are baked in one pan. All other kinds, namely, currant loaves and cream loaves, to be termed "fancy bread," and not to come under the meaning of this clause.

39. The market superintendent, police officer or any other person whom the Council may by resolution appoint, shall be inspector or inspectors of bread, and it shall be his or their duty, at all seasonable hours, not less than once in each month, to enter and examine each bake-shop or other building in the city where bread is baked, deposited, or offered for sale, and also to stop and examine any vehicle carrying bread for sale in the city, and, in the presence of at least one witness, to inspect, weigh and examine all bread found therein, and if the said inspector or any one or more of the said inspectors shall find any loaf or loaves of bread deficient in weight, or not conformable to the directions herein contained, or any part of them, he or they shall immediately seize and confiscate the same, and shall dispose of the same under the directions of the Mayor or Chairman of the committee; provided, always, that the bread made over twelve hours, prior to inspection and under twenty-four hours, one-half ounce light weight to be allowed for each one pound loaf, or one ounce for each two pound loaf; over twenty-four hours, double the allowance in each case, respectively.

40. Every vendor of bread shall keep scales and weights suitable for weighing of bread in a conspicuous place in his or her shop, and every vendor of bread shall, when required by any purchaser or purchasers thereof, weigh the bread offered by him or her for sale.

41. No person shall hinder, obstruct, or prevent the Market Superintendent, any inspector or inspectors of bread in the execution of his or their duty under the provisions of this by-law.

SALE OF COAL.

42. Every coal dealer in the City of Victoria shall give to the driver or person in charge of each load of coal sent out for delivery to a purchaser in the said city a ticket signed by such dealer or his agent, specifying the true amount of coal contained in such load.

43. It shall be lawful for the Market Superintendent or any police officer to require that any load of coal on its way from seller to buyer in said city shall be weighed upon any of the public scales of the city, or for the purchaser of any load of coal to require that the same shall be so weighed; and the driver or person in charge thereof shall thereupon have the said load and vehicle weighed separately at such scale at the expense of the party requiring same, and shall then and there produce to the weighmaster the ticket mentioned in the preceding section of this by-law.

44. Any dealer who falsely states in the ticket aforesaid the weight or amount of the coal in any load, and any person who, upon request as aforesaid, refuses to have his load or vehicle weighed, or produce his ticket to the weighmaster, shall be subject to the penalties of this by-law.

CATTLE MARKET.

45. No horned cattle, calves, swine, sheep, horse, mare, colt, filly or gelding brought into the City of Victoria for sale shall be sold in any of the public streets, or other place in the said city, before they have been at the cattle market and the market fees have been paid thereon, except such as may be sold by any licensed auctioneer for the said city upon his own premises, or at such other place or places as the City Council may, by any general regulation or resolution, describe for such purpose.

46. All animals exposed for sale or market in the cattle market shall be arranged in such order as the Market Superintendent or his assistant shall direct, and be fastened in the stalls or to the place or places assigned for such purpose, so as to secure them from doing injury to any person, or being injured by each other.

47. No person or persons selling or exposing for sale on the said market any live stock whatsoever shall in any way illtreat or be guilty of cruelty towards the same, either by beating them unmercifully or keeping them lying on the ground with their feet tied.

48. All persons offering or exposing for sale on said cattle market any live stock shall be subject to such market fees as the Council may from time to time, by resolution, set forth.

GENERAL PROVISIONS.

49. The Market Committee shall have the control of all the officers of the city employed in or about the public market, and shall have the power to make any regulations as to the markets or the lessees or occupants of the same, as to the officers of the city employed there, and as to all persons attending or frequenting the same, subject to approval of the City Council.

50. Every person frequenting the markets with articles of provision, fuel, farm or garden produce, of any kind, for sale, shall place their wagon, or other vehicle, in such order as the Market Superintendent shall direct, and no person shall be allowed to have any wagon, or other vehicle, in the markets, except in such places as may be directed by the said Superintendent; nor shall any butcher or other person, place, or tie, or allow to be placed or tied upon any passage, pathway or road in or surrounding any market, any calf, sheep, swine, or any other animal.

51. In case any persons sell, or expose for sale, any goods, provisions, or other articles, contrary to any of the provisions of this by-law, the person so offending shall, after being warned by the Market Superintendent, or other person duly authorized shall be summarily removed, together with his goods, provisions or other articles out of the public market or boundaries aforesaid, and every person or persons hindering, obstructing or molesting the said Superintendent, or other authorized person aforesaid in the performance of his duty, shall be subject to the penalties of this by-law, and all butchers who resort to and use the public market now, or hereafter to be established within this city, for the purpose of carrying on their trade or calling, or selling, or disposing of articles in such markets, shall be subject to the provisions of this by-law.

52. No person, in any of the public markets of the city, shall be guilty of any lewd, lascivious or disorderly conduct, or make any loud or boisterous noises, or use any profane or vulgar language, or stand about without business and obstruct the passage-ways of any market buildings or places, or commit any nuisance, or do any act that is calculated to lead to a breach of the peace, or which tends to disturb the good order and decorum thereof; nor shall any person or persons in charge of wagons or other vehicles, or horses or cattle attached thereto, leave the same or assemble together on the sidewalk, or wantonly snap their whips, or make a noise or annoy, or insult persons passing on the sidewalk or through the morket.

53. No person shall resist, obstruct, molest, or interfere with the Market Superintendent, or any other officer in charge of the market, in the execution of his duty.

54. All public fairs, agricultural exhibitions, or pet stock exhibitions held in this city shall be exempt from the liability of any tolls or fees imposed by virtue of this by-law, and all live stock or farm or garden produce, in transit to or from such fair or exhibition, shall be exempt from the imposition of all such tolls or fees.

55. The Council shall, by resolution from time to time, set forth all tolls, rentals and fees authorized for collection under the provisions of this by-law.

56. No bailiff or crier of smallwares or patent medicine shall practice his or her calling upon the public markets, or in any of the streets contiguous thereto.

57. No person shall bring wood to any public market and expose the same as a sample and offer or promise to deliver from his yard or yards, or any other yard or yards, any quantity of wood which he may claim to be similar in quality or quantity; but shall only expose it for sale, and, immediately on its being sold, deliver same to the purchaser, and if any such load or loads of wood shall remain upon the said market for a longer period than thirty hours, the owner or owners thereof shall be again liable for the further payment of the measuring fees.

58. Any person selling within the city of Victoria milk adulterated with water, or any substance whatever, or the compound known as "oleomargerine" under the name of butter, or shall offer or expose for sale any other adulterated article of food whatever, shall be liable to prosecution for infraction of this by-law.

59. No person shall post or tack to any weigh-house, or on or to any part of the market building, any bills, notices, papers, posters or placards, and any person so doing shall be guilty of a breach of this by-law.

Provided that nothing herein shall prevent the market superintendent from posting up notices for the guidance of purchasers and others frequenting the market, or other notices having reference to the provisions of this by-law.

60. No empty cart, wagon or other vehicle shall be permitted to stand on the public market, but butchers and hucksters renting stalls in the market shall be allowed during business hours to place their delivery wagons opposite their respective stalls, in such a position as the market superintendent may direct, and such horses or other animals as belong to, or may be harnessed thereunto, shall be securely fastened by weight or otherwise, and should any butcher, huckster, or his or their employe or person in charge neglect to so fasten said horse, horses or other animals, it shall be considered an infraction of this by-law.

61. The market superintendent, or police officer, shall have the power to remove any empty vehicles, or other obstruction which may be standing upon the public market, and the owner or owners thereof shall be liable for the cost of such removal in addition to the penalty imposed by this by-law.

62. No person shall leave the market with his load or loads until he shall have paid the proper fee thereof, nor shall any load or loads be permitted to remain on the market over Sunday.

63. No person shall falsify, or alter, the marks made upon his load or vehicle by the Market Superintendent or his assistants (if any) or efface the same until the contents of such vehicle have been delivered.

PENALTY.

Any person or persons guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this by-law shall, upon conviction therefor, in addition to the penalties hereinbefore provided, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars and costs and not less than two dollars and costs for each offence.

APPENDIX TO MARKET BY-LAW.

The Market Superintendent shall demand and be entitled to receive the following fees and tolls in accordance with the provisions of the Market By-law.

	Cents.
From the owner or driver of any wagon or other vehicle in which there shall be any fresh meat, farm or garden produce, or any article or articles of provisions, brought into the public market for sale within the city:	
For double team	10
For a single team	5
From the owner or seller of any articles of provisions or farm or garden produce brought by hand or in a basket	5
From the owners or sellers of all animals brought into the city for sale:	
For every head of cattle	10
Sheep, calf or swine	5
Horse, mare, gelding, colt, filly or mule	25
For weighing every load of hay or straw:	
When drawn by two animals	10
When drawn by one animal	5
For weighing every load of grain	10
For measuring every load of firewood	10
For measuring wood when delivered on the premises of the purchaser, or within the city:	
2 cords or under	25
5 cords or over 2 cords	35
10 cords or over 5 cords	40
Every additional cord over 10 cords	5
For weighing all articles not exceeding: 200 lbs.	5
Over 200 lbs.	10
For measuring every half pint, pint, quart, gallon, half gallon, bushel or fraction of a bushel	5
For weighing every living cattle, horse, mare, colt, filly, gelding or mule	5
Per draft of 2	10
For weighing ten or less calves, sheep or swine, in 1 draft	5
Do., 11 to 20	10
Do., 21 to 30	15
For weighing every load of coal	10
For weighing every load of merchandise not otherwise enumerated herein	10

This By-Law may be cited as the "Market By-Law." Passed the Municipal Council, the 11th day of November, A. D. 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 7th day of December, A. D. 1891.

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Mayor.

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" 9.44	" 4.14	31	COBBLE HILL	47	" 10.40	" 4.14
" 9.57	" 4.29	35	McPHERSON'S	43	" 10.27	" 3.59
" 10.07	" 4.39	38	KOKSILAH	40	" 10.17	" 3.49
" 10.12	" 4.44	40	DUNCAN'S	38	" 10.12	" 3.44
" 10.22	" 4.54	43	SOMENOS	35	" 10.02	" 3.34
" 10.48	" 5.16	52	CHEMAINUS	26	" 9.36	" 3.12
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LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesdays and Fridays at o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2 going east Monday.)

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

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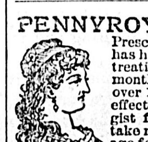

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The Colonist.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER, 12 1891.

DEATH.

MORRISON—At Denman Island, on the 6th instant, Hugh William Morrison, a native of Charlotte County, New Brunswick, aged 30 years.

The race appointed I have run;
The combat's o'er, the prize is won;
And now my witness is on high,
And now my record's in the sky.

The funeral will take place on Monday next, at two o'clock, from the residence of his mother (Mrs. A. Morrison,) 42 Kingston street, and at half-past two o'clock at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Douglas street. Friends are invited to attend.

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There is talk of Acton coming to B.C. to wrestle D. S. McLeod.

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Look at CHEAPSIDE. *

Sheffield Cutlery.—For cutlery of all kinds go to Fox's, 78 Government street. A new stock just opened. 1m

A line of nice pocket knives, razors, scissors, and table cutlery, just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

GUITAR taught by Miss McMicking. Terms at the music stores. *

The sealing schooner Diego is having her masts taken out and replaced.

Call and see Mable at 80 Douglas street.

Hall and library lamps in great variety at the Sehl-Hastie, Erskine Co.'s. *

If you have any trouble lighting your fire you should give the Magic Fire Kindler a trial. *

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Checks are now ready at the City hall for all holding accounts against the corporation.

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Use the Magic Fire Kindler in place of kindling and pitch-wood. It is always safe and reliable, and is the easiest way to light a fire. *

The Victoria Athletic Club, at a recent meeting, elected 22 new members for the month—not a bad showing.

Go to Cheapside for Stoves and Ranges.

A 1.—Sheffield razors, strops, and a complete line of shaving materials and outfits just opened at Fox's, 78 Government St. *

Look at CHEAPSIDE. *

Nice line of rattan rockers and chairs arrived at Sehl, Hastie, Erskine Co's. *

An assortment of China Goods now opening at R. A. Brown & Co's, 80 Douglas Street. *

It was Mr. John Giesden's orchestra, not Prof. Haynes', that furnished the music to which those attending the Y.L.I. social, on Thursday evening, danced the hours away.

PERSONAL.

J. G. Knuckey, of Boston, is a guest at the Driard.

E. J. Herbert, of Montreal, is at the Driard.

H. Russel and wife, of Denver, are staying at the Driard.

W. Templeman and wife returned from the East, last night.

S. Fader and wife arrived over by the Islander, last night.

E. A. Morris, of the Vancouver Dynamite and Powder Co., is in town.

Hon. Justice and Mrs. Walkem, Miss Rhodes and Miss Walkem returned home by the Islander, last night.

Capt. George Edwards and Engineer O. Daniel, of the s.s. Zambesi, came over from the Sound, last evening.

Capt. Longley, of Washington, D.C., and Alex. Watson, of Tacoma, are at Hotel Dallas.

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CROSSLEY AND HUNTER.

Last Evening's Services Eminently Successful.

The interest in these meetings continues unabated, and the faithful, earnest preaching of the evangelists increases in its power to lead souls to seek Christ as a personal saviour. The service last evening was especially for young men and women. At the close the largest number of people, since the meetings began, was found in the inquiry room. Rev. C. Watson opened the meeting with prayer. Messrs. Crossley and Firth sang very effectively, "Thinking of Home."

Mr. Hunter began his remarks by dwelling upon the necessity of being cordial to the young and solicitous for their welfare. He read as the lesson the parable of the Prodical Son, Luke 15:11. In the course of his remarks he said: "This father divided his substance between his sons. Many fathers make a mistake in giving their sons all that they ask for, in many cases leading to the ruin of the young man. There are three things that all men should attend to. 1st, They should see that their soul is saved. 2nd, They should have their lives insured. Many men are spending enough money on tobacco to keep a $2,000 policy on their lives, and when they die their families will be beggared. 3rd, They should make their wills. Many families are completely ruined through neglect of this. If the will is made everybody is satisfied. If not, everybody wants the biggest share—and the lawyer gets it. The Prodigal wastes his substance. Many young men in this city are doing this. The Prodigal came to himself. No man will ever come to God unless he first comes to himself. It takes a good deal to bring a man to himself, sometimes great affliction, a great calamity, etc. The Prodigal was a long way off when the father saw him. So some young men and women are far from Christ. The father ran to meet him. Here are feet of mercy, hands of mercy, lips of mercy. God will welcome the returning wanderer.

Mr. Crossley then sang "Save the Boy." Mr. Hunter read fifteen requests for prayer.

In beginning his address, Mr. Crossley wished the young people to let him speak to them as one of themselves. First, he addressed himself to the Christian young people before him. *Know* that you are Christians. Then live consistently. To do this we should win souls for Christ. To the unconverted young men and women he said, Prov. iii., 17: The Christian life is more enjoyable than a wordly life. Have a high ideal of life, Thess. 5, 22. We make two mistakes in this life. We have two moral standards, one for Christians and one for unconverted. Also, we have one moral standard for men and one for women. Men demand a high standard of purity and morality from women. Nineteen out of twenty women are up to the standard. Women don't demand a high standard of morality from men, and not one man in 20 can compare to 19 in 20 women in morality. We should make it as hard for a man to go down as it is for a woman, and as easy for a woman to come up as it is for a man. To unconverted young men, he said: "Live for time and for eternity," Eccl. 11, 9. To all young ladies, he said: "Live a life worthy of the dignity of woman," Acts 17, 4. The best, the chief, the most honorable women follow the Lord. Christianity has elevated women, and in consequence all women should follow Christ. 1st Tim. v., 6. To young men and women. It is your bounden duty to live a Christian life. It is your privilege to be royal and loyal sons and daughters of God. Prov. 23: 26.

The visible results of this service give it place as the most successful of the series to date.

Meetings will be held in Pandora Avenue Methodist Church, next week, beginning each evening at 7.30.

Bible readings on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon, from 3 to 4, in Calvary Baptist Church, Herald street.

THE DISABLED WHALEBACK.

Rescued by the Upton Liner Zambesi, and Towed into Astoria.

Capt. Edwards, of the Upton s.s. Zambesi, which rescued and towed the disabled whaleback steamer C. W. Wetmore into Astoria, in conversation with a reporter, said: "We left here for the Columbia River on Sunday. At 11 o'clock on Wednesday morning, when off the mouth of the Columbia, we sighted a singular looking steamer, and steaming down found it was the whaleback propeller, Charles W. Wetmore, flying signals of distress. She was then about three or four miles of Tillamook rock, 30 miles south of the entrance of the Columbia. Though able to steam, the Wetmore had no way of steering, her rudder having dropped off, leaving nothing but the rudder frame. I got a hawser out and had her in easy tow the remainder of the day and all last night. This morning the hawser parted, but we got it out again in the afternoon and crossed in with little difficulty."

Captain Edwards has entered a protest of claims and damages to the amount of $200,000. Captain Hastings of the Wetmore is reported to have said that he began to lose his rudder two weeks ago, when off the Galapagos islands. It dropped off bit by bit, as the rivets fell out; but he hoped to make Port Townsend. Under the circumstances he was very glad to get to the Columbia river. The whaleback was out 83 days from Philadelphia yesterday.

An Astoria special says the Wetmore's condition is all right, except her rudder. The officers say the machinery is in perfect condition. The crew report that the vessel passed through seas that would have foundered any ordinary craft. She is a good vessel, dry and perfectly safe. It was expected that Captain Hastings would have put into San Francisco, but he wanted to push on to his destination, and would have made it but for the terrific storm encountered off Coos bay.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

SPRINTING.

The Gibson-Luggett foot race for $25 a-side is to take place at Northfield, on Saturday, the 19th instant. The first deposit has been placed in the hands of the Nanaimo Free Press, which paper has been agreed upon as final stakeholder. Both sprinters are good men, and fast time is promised.

ATHLETICS.

A meeting has been held at Northfield with a view to promoting a good athletic association. At the back of the band stand there is a fine piece of land just suitable for foot and bicycle races, which the association has obtained. The land is now being got into proper shape, and the Northfield boys will soon have a really good place in which to hold their sports.—Free Press.

FOOTBALL.

The following team, who left for Vancouver in the Islander this morning, will represent the Victoria Football Club in the match at Hastings this afternoon: Cecil M. Roberts, W. A. Ward, C. Hugonin, A G. Baikie, E. Miller, W. Haynes, G. H. Barnard, L. S Barrett, G. E. Billinghurst, A. D. Crease, W. H. Langley, E. C. Carpenter, Baker, Brimstone and Morton.

The following picked up team will compete against the Victoria's second eleven today: McConnon, Clarke, Paterson, Cullin, Fletcher, Lowe, Fraser, Martin, Earsman, Murray. McConnon and Cullin.

Victoria's second eleven are: Lorimer, Archer, Punn, White, McConnon, Miller, Muir, Dalby, Foukes, Gregory and Goward, Jr.

VICTORIA COLLEGE VS. Y. M. C. A.

A match of Association football will be played this afternoon on Beacon Hill between the above clubs. The match, which commences at 1:30 o'clock, is likely to be the last for a month or so, as the college boys will soon return to their respective homes for the Christmas holidays.

RUGBY.

A practice game will come off, this afternoon, between the second fifteen of Victoria and the "C" Battery. Play begins at 3 o'clock on Beacon Hill.

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